

OAKLAND MEN LEAVE FOR SCENE OF THE FIGHT

OPINIONS ON FIGHT ARE DIVIDED

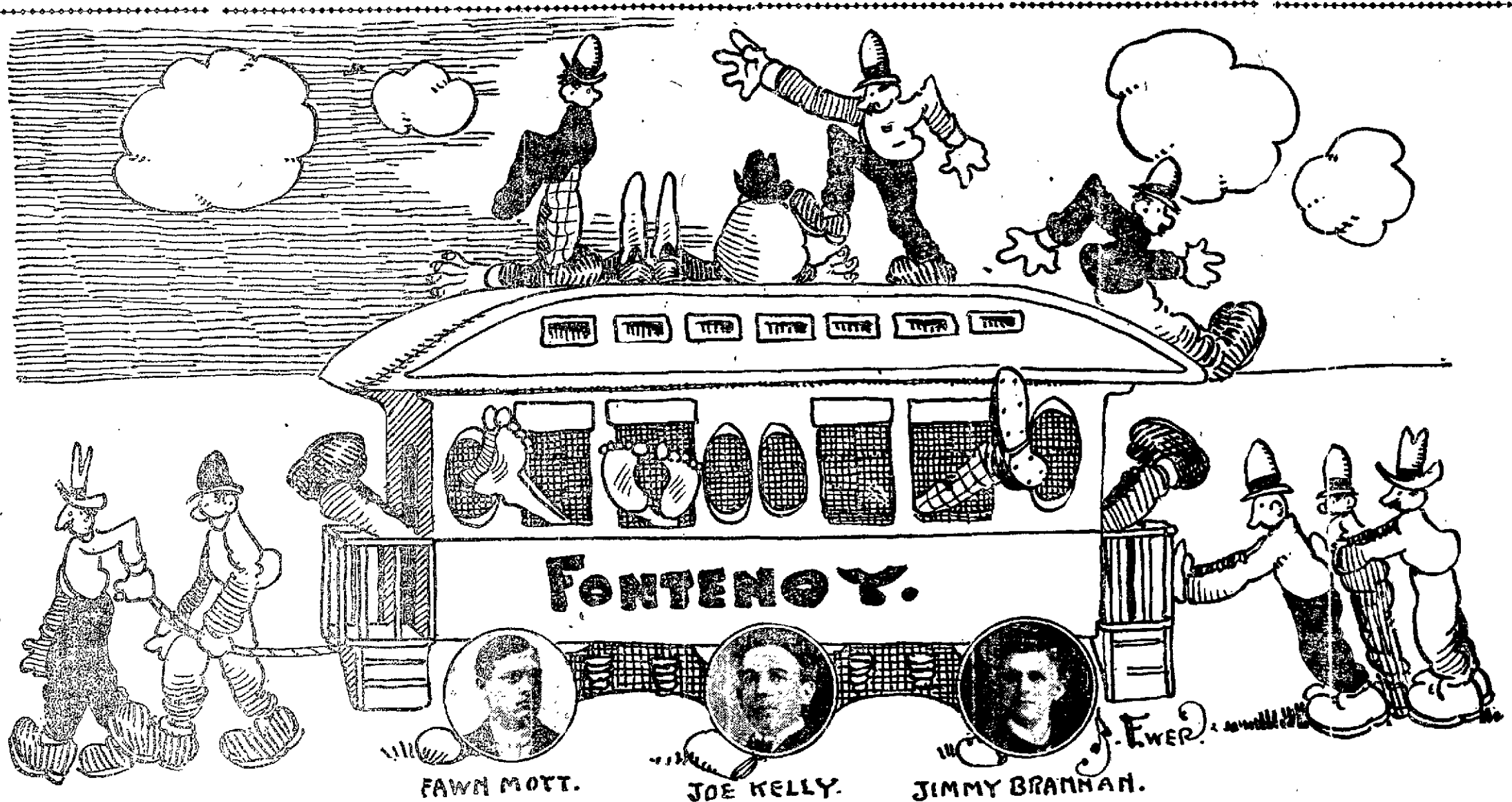
Amid the glare of fireworks and the blare of a brass band, the Oakland sporting contingent, numbering over thirty, bound for the Gans-Nelson fight, left last night for Goldfield. They started from the corner of Eighth street and Broadway shortly after 10 o'clock in automobiles, and proceeded to Sixteenth-street station, where they boarded the Pullman "Fontenoy," which was engaged to accommodate the party.

JOLLY CROWD.
A jollier crowd never pulled out of Sixteenth-street station. The opinions on the outcome of the mill are pretty evenly divided. Here are some of the prognostications made by local fight fans:

F. A. Mott—"The Dane for mine. If he doesn't win, I walk home."
Billy Hurli—"Nelson to win on the jump."
Sid Pollard—"Gans will win if he can make the weight without weakening himself."
Frank Harrington—"Gans will win inside of fifteen rounds."
"Coney Island" John—"Nelson will win in the time it takes to cook a can of oysters."

TAHOE OR WALK.
Ray Peck—"I like Gans. If he wins I stop at Tahoe; if he doesn't, I walk home."
R. Wilson—"To me it looks like Nelson."
Douglas Allen—"On the showing that he's already made, I am sure the Dane will win."
Warren Hall—"If Gans goes over ten rounds, he'll be defeated."
"Doc" Milton—"I've followed both men through all of their fights. Gans can't fight at the weight he's trained down to. He's too weak."
Archie MacGregor—"Gans all the way."

RING GENERALSHIP.
Tom Matty—"Gans' ring generalship



As Cartoonist Ewer saw the departure of the Oakland bunch in a special car last night for the Goldfield fight.

FAWN MOTT. JOE KELLY. JIMMY BRANNAN.

Tommy Walsh—"Gans on the bill."
Lol Sevier—"Gans a winner in fifteen rounds."
Henry Weiking—"Gans will be a winner in about twelve rounds."
GUNNY SACK FOR COIN.
Otto Schinkel Jr—"I am taking a gunny sack with me to carry home a big bunch of Nelson money."
Dan O'Brien—"Nothing to it but Gans."
Otto Witt—"If the Dane doesn't win, I'm an Indian."
Jimmy Brannan—"Gans is a sure winner. Nelson never before fought a man with a good punch."
Archie Warner—"I like the black man very much. The climate of Goldfield will agree with him."
Billy Neill—"I want Gans from start to finish."
Colonel J. E. Cuddy—"Nelson will win in five rounds."
Charles Carpenter—"Gans can put up a stiff fight; and even if it takes twenty rounds, he'll win out."

GOSSIP FROM CAMPS OF THE FIGHTERS AT GOLDFIELD

By W. W. NAUGHTON, Sporting Editor San Francisco "Examiner."

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for the Baltimore lightweight as he had for the Dane.

"All a mistake," said Graney when questioned. "Both men asked me to help second them and I was proud to find I stood so well with the two boys. I am here as a visitor, though, not to work."

Nat Goodwin is here, having come in his private car from Glenwood Springs, I think he said. He has been hunting and fishing and looks track-sure. He has a swelled foot and wears a split shoe. One of the party says that Nat fell over a boulder while pursuing a wounded trout that dodged behind a rock.

NAT GOODWIN.

Nat does not want to be quoted, but away down he thinks Gans "a cinch."

"That, of course, if he is the Gans I used to know," murmured Nat. "If he is himself, 10 to 1 against the other boy would not be any too big a price."

The betting is aggressively slow, that is for those who are eager to play money. Billy Nolan coincides with an opinion expressed by the writer several days ago, namely, that there will be but little betting on the event. Up to the present it is doubtful if \$500 in real money has been wagered on the contest in Goldfield.

NOLAN'S OPINION.

"I kinder jost for lively betting at the ringside," said Nolan. "and I hope that Nelson will be the under dog right up to the time the starting bell rings. It has always been that way and I guess he'll feel the same if he went into the ring a favorite. When he boxed Horner at Butte the night against him was 10 to 7, in his fight with Hamilton in San Francisco 10 to 4, with Chas. 10 to 4, and in his first fight with Britt, 10 to 6. I think he will drop to 10 to 6 for tonight's fight. You see they have put us into the way of looking for a fancy price and we expect it now, whether it is coming to us or not."

Gans, it is known, has telegraphed "House John" Kelley, Harry Pollock and several other eastern friends to place their money on him or keep off entirely.

Some of them may not like my chance," explained Joe. "It is for them I say keep off. If I cannot win anything for them I can at least save them their money."

WEIGHT QUESTION.

There is all manner of speculation as to the character and weight of the long legs Gans will be dead in when he steps on the scales. As Joe is determined to keep the matter a close secret nothing definite will be known in this connection until the negro gets on the machine platform for the first weighing at noon Monday. One report has it that Gans has devised a ring rig that will weigh less than a pound. "I have had all sorts of remarks but I do not notice them," said Nolan. "Common sense demands that he must wear legs but the brunt of the hard battle there is going to be will require a good pair of shoes at least. Of course if Gans had had time to touch the wires to Chicago and get results he might have had forwarded to him something light and strong in the way of footwear. He has not had time, though, and I hardly think he can get a pair of fighting shoes made in Goldfield. He may fix up something in that line, but goodness help him if he has filmy programs on in this battle. The shuffling on the sun-baked carpet will blister the soles of his feet and there will be no changing of shoes I can tell you. A referee can order a glove replaced if it bursts or comes off, but he has no authority to allow a contestant to change his shoes. One only requires to talk to Nolan to discern that he is not at all at ease in respect to what may happen between now and the time the fight comes off. Up to a few days ago it was Gans who was on tenter hooks. The negro felt that he was at a disadvantage in not having a manager to cope with Nolan on points which might arise, and he was in daily dread that some new condition would be sprung in which Nolan would get the better of him. The decision that he must weigh in in fighting regalia was the last straw on Gans' burden.

Since that matter was disposed of he has been resigned as it were. He still thinks that if Nolan saw a chance he would impose new and harrassing terms, but he does not see there is a single thing more Nolan can ask for or raise a question about. Meanwhile Nolan is astute enough to notice that he is lessening his personal popularity in the camp by driving hard bargains with the negro. He feels that further demands or objections on his part would be highly inadvisable in the present temper of the populace, and he is wondering whether anything will arise that will call for another protest and make him a mark for the disapproval of the camp.

NELSON WORRYING.

If Billy only knew just what the Gans ring costume is like and what Gans' weight is at the present time he might rest easier; those at the Gans' camp think differently though. They say if Nolan only knew how easy it will be for Joe to come in the weight at the "inside he would trump up some other thing to prevent the match. This is unkind and probably uncalled for, but things equally inconsiderate and undeserved have been said about Gans by Nolan and Nelson.

The fact remains that Nolan is worrying. He knows he has stretched matters to the cracking point and he does not like the idea of having to assert himself again in the face of a big and possibly turbulent fight crowd. All this time Gans is having quiet revenge. He knows that Nolan would like to get a peep into the future of the weight proposition and he is determined to keep him guessing until Monday noon.

GANS SAYS HE WILL DIE RATHER THAN FAKE FIGHT

By C. E. VAN LOAN, Sporting Editor Los Angeles "Examiner."

(Special to THE TRIBUNE, W. R. Hearst service, over longest leased wire in the world.)

GOLDFIELD, Sept. 1.—There are sporting men in Goldfield who assert that Joe Gans cannot make the full dress weight required by Nelson, and put up a strong fight. This is the reason why the price stands at 10 to 8. The sports argue that the Joe Gans who will enter the ring Monday weighing 135 pounds who beat so many men in the past, Joe Gans weighed in this afternoon and was under 140.

Before weighing he worked for three-quarters of an hour, and no man would follow by over-reduction, could have followed the terrific pace set by the Baltimore wonder. His work was a revelation to the sporting men from all parts of the world, and the members who were prepared to see a human skeleton going through training stunts were convinced that the negro is fit and ready to put up a great contest.

JOE IS SERIOUS.

There is no foolishness about the way Joseph goes through with his work; there is none of the show-dish of the amateur about Joe's training methods. The veteran has been over the same road too often to include any unnecessary frills.

Promptly on the hour Gans entered the gym. He gave out his impressions of the daily grind. He does not find any amusement in the bag-punching nor in skipping the rope.

Taking his place, Gans began with the old right and left so well known to all training quarters. He never takes his feet from the floor, but rocks back and forth on the balls of his feet, starting in with light hooks, Joe increased the pace until at the end of three minutes he was slashing forth with all his might, filling the room with the clamor of the much-abused bagman.

After four rounds with the bag Joe began to perspire; at the end of half an hour every bit of his skin which was not covered by a suit of gym togs was glowing with moisture.

STILL HE CAN HIT.

From the punching bag he switched to the heavy sawdust affair. It was the old heavy punches.

"I thought they told me that this fellow could not hit at this weight," said a well-known San Franciscan who follows up sporting events. "He is working every bit as strong as he did for Mike Sullivan and that match was made at what was supposed to be Joe's best weight."

Joe's showing was a great surprise to all the newcomers. The colored fighter then left the room, the visitors trooping after him, loud in their expressions of confidence.

Joe is an easy man to interview. He simplified matters today by beginning with some such remark as: "You ask questions, and I'll answer them."

This time Joe had something on his mind.

"I WANT TO SAY SOMETHING"

CAR STRIKE.

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herby ordered to report at their cars, or any other customary places on Sunday morning, September 2, at 7 o'clock, ready to re-sume work.

"All employees not so reporting are hereby discharged from the employ of the company, and they will immediately turn in their badges, punches and other property of the company in their possession or under their control, and receive the amounts heretofore deposited by them under the rule of the company."

(Signed) "PATRICK CALHOUN."

Calhoun said tonight:

"I have sent one more call to my men to return to my employ. I cannot compel them to work. I have used every means to bring about peace. I was asked to arbitrate. I acceded. What is the result? My invitation is scoffed at. I intend to run the cars in spite of this opposition."

"I have no further proposition to make to the carmen. So far as I am concerned, there is nothing more to be done. I doubt that we will be able to run cars Sunday."

IN THE PAPER, HE SAID, "SIX MONTHS AGO I GAVE MY WORD TO MR. EDDIE GRANEY THAT I WOULD NEVER FIGHT ANOTHER CROOKED FIGHT. I OWED HIM SOME GRATITUDE FOR KIND TREATMENT WHEN EVERYBODY ELSE WAS OUT AFTER ME WITH THE HAMMER. HE CAME OUT HERE TODAY, AND THE FIRST THING HE SAID TO ME WAS: 'JOE, IS THIS FIGHT GOING TO BE ON THE UP-AND-UP? TELL ME THE TRUTH ABOUT IT.'"

"I GAVE HIM MY WORD AGAIN, AND I WOULD DIE IN THE RING ON MONDAY AFTERNOON BEFORE I WOULD BREAK IT. I WISH PEOPLE WOULD GIVE ME CREDIT FOR THE FACT THAT I AM GOING TO MAKE THE VERY BEST FIGHT THAT THERE IS IN ME, AND I WILL WIN."

"How do you like this matter of the eighteen-foot ring?" I asked him.

"It suits me right down to the ground," said the negro. "Mr. Nolan don't know that an eighteen-foot ring is just where I live. Show me where I ever ran away from anybody, and I have fought a lot of tougher men than Fattling Nelson. Why, I was willing to concede almost anything to get this fight, even if the eighteen-foot ring was against me. I would have agreed to it rather than pass up the chance to get my standing back."

"Nelson knows that I was desperate for a chance at him—willing to grant almost anything he could request. That is one reason why I came through with that demand that we weigh in our fighting clothes. Now, you listen to me, and I'll tell you something. I am not going to be hurt by this low weight, and will be strong and fit next Monday. This fellow is not going to get away from me on any pretext. I would have fought him on the lid of a cracker box if there had been no other way. I would be willing to get into a six-foot ring with him and bang away until one man quit. All my life I have been fighting such fellows and winning. This is the lightest man I have had a chance at for years, and there is going to be no hitch on my part. Winning this fight will put me back where I was after I whipped Ernie; it will show the people who support the fighting game that Joe Gans is done with shady work and

ready to fight his best fight when he gets into the ring."

Eddie Graney made this statement: "I want to give my word to the public that Joe Gans will certainly fight this fight on the square. I am willing to stake my little horsehoesing business on this negro's honesty, and if he is not right this time, then I will move out to the Farallon Islands and go into business there shoeing goats."

fer, the company has reached its limit. I have just been informed that the Carmen's Union has declined the proposition and there is nothing now left that this company can do except to place its cars again in operation with other employees and speedily as it can obtain them.

"With highest regards, I remain Yours respectfully," "PAT. CALHOUN, "President United Railroads of San Francisco."

HARTMAN—In this city, August 21, 1906, Rachael C. Hartman, beloved wife of David Hartman, a native of Philadelphia, aged 7 years.

Her friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow (Monday) September 3, at 2 o'clock p. m., from Hartman & Hart's residence, parlors 1200 Webster street, Oakland. Interment private.

TRUETT—In San Rafael, August 21, 1906, Augustus K. Truett, husband of Annie L. Truett, father of Augustus and Harold Truett, and brother of Mrs. Harry Chamberlain, Mrs. William Truett and Mrs. George Wells.

NEW ASTHMA CURE

The Latest Laboratory Product Cures Asthma and Hay Fever.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—In order that the many sufferers from asthma and hay fever may test this truly remarkable discovery, the medical directors of The Toxicologic Laboratory, 1267 Broadway, New York, announce that they will send a trial treatment of Toxic free by mail to all sufferers who write for it.

Toxico is not a palliative remedy, but effects a radical cure and is entirely different from all "smokes," "snuffs," inhalations or other symptom treating methods heretofore used in these diseases.

The House of TAFT & PENNOYER

will be closed Labor Day

ALAMEDA DELEGATION TOOK SACRAMENTO CITY BY STORM

Much Rejoicing by Hundreds Who Made up Chamber of Commerce Excursion Over Fact That This County's Exhibit Received First Prize

By Associated Press.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 1.—The fine display of agricultural, horticultural and manufacturing exhibits of Alameda county at the State Fair was awarded the first prize and gold medal for the excellence of the display. Alameda county was handicapped. Space could not be found in one place for the great exhibit, and it was installed in various parts on the main floor. Among the many fine co-exhibits that of Alameda county was easily first, and won on its merits.

Delegation Welcomed.

"Ladies and Gentlemen of Alameda County: We are glad to see that you have come over two hundred strong, but we are not surprised. You come from a section of the State where people do things. There is an invigoration in the air along the borders of your county which instills life into the blood of citizens, and your many acts of late are most commendable. And I am glad to say that you have come just in time to hear that Alameda county has won the first prize for the exhibit in agricultural, horticultural, viticultural, manufactured and other industrial products. And you are worthy of the prize, for do not the materials making up the exhibit come from the county which has given us our good Governor, George C. Pardee, one who is admired and loved by us all. It is to be expected that a county which has produced such public men as Governor Pardee should be first in line in other directions. All honor to Alameda county."—Address of welcome by Hon. J. A. Filcher to the excursionists who visited the State Fair on the Chamber of Commerce special.



EDWIN STEARNS, SECRETARY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE COMMITTEE.



W. H. WEILBY,
Chairman Exhibition Committee.

parts of the pavilion. It was arranged in several of the tiers, but mainly in that about midway in the building. There were shown, her fruits, fresh and processed, her cotton, growing and manufactured examples, her jacks, paints, roofing paper, soaps, canvas, rope, twine, blankets, and similar industrial examples; cloths, syrups, oiled clothing, cordials, wines, leather oils, nails, tacks, bolts, screws and shafts and other things which made for Alameda county a most comprehensive exhibit.

ENJOY THEMSELVES.

Those who went to Sacramento on the Chamber of Commerce special enjoyed themselves immensely. The excursion was under the supervision of a committee composed of Theo. Gier, chairman, John Mitchell, E. F. Miller and Edwin Stearns, secretary. They did all in their power to see that the jolly crowd from this city, Alameda and Berkeley had a pleasant time. The special train crew consisted of Engineer Turnbull, Conductor F. Ware and brakemen P. S. Carrick and B. F. Grauss, and a quick run was made.

WERE WELCOMED.

On the arrival at Sacramento a trolley ride was enjoyed, after which the pavilion was visited and all were welcomed by Secretary Filcher. The Alameda county delegation was met at the train by Mrs. George S. Pardee and her daughters and other prominent ladies of Sacramento, as well as by Dwight H. Miller and W. D. Nicholls.

In the afternoon the race course was visited, where some first-class harness events were witnessed. In the evening there was a band concert, which was heartily enjoyed. The Fifth Regiment Band, which accompanied the excursionists, joined in the concert. The return train left Sacramento promptly at 10 o'clock last night. W. H. Weilby, chairman of the exhibit committee, and who is entitled to much praise for his efforts, came from Sacramento to return with the excursion. He was congratulated on his success in installing the finest exhibit in the pavilion. He, with many others from this county, made a call on Governor Pardee shortly before noon and were heartily received.

PRESERVED THE FRUITS.

W. D. Nicholls, who preserved the fruits and flowers in the Alameda county exhibit and who is one of the most expert men in this line in the United States, also came in for much praise. He was well pleased that the exhibit had been awarded first prize. Taken all in all the pavilion exhibit this year was the most strictly representative of the State's productive resources and was the most nearly agricultural and horticultural exhaustive showing yet made in the name of California. The fair will come to a close to-night.

THE EXCURSIONISTS.

Those on the excursion other than the members of the committee and W. H. Weilby were Mrs. John Mitchell, William H. Jordan, John H. Solomon, M. K. MacKenzie, J. P. Tibbitts, H. Mohr, Ed. Caruso, Carl Krauss, Chas. H. Milner, Wm. H. Bain, Dr. L. A. Alvey, James V. Haines, F. Frederick, M. S. Morse, E. Dowland, H. C. Kropp, E. Sargis, F. Uelman, Chas. A. Smith, A. S. Lavenson, F. R. Cutter, P. A. Dinamore, N. W. Wells, W. C. Fletcher, W. R. Sibbett, P. Staehelin, A. E. Bredull, T. J. Greene, A. Haroldson, A. McAllister, John A. Ince, Michael J. Montgomery, O. F. Olsen, A. F. Switz, J. C. Johnstone, C. W. Collins, W. T. Rees, John Tisch, F. S. Osgood and son, S. N. Palmer, C. A. Jackson, H. Wauchs, Andrew Berg, Henry Feldman, L. Gimbal, L. S. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rowland, A. Rath, Fred Becker,



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METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

DIVIDEND ANNOUNCEMENT

INDUSTRIAL

The company has just declared a cash mortuary dividend on Policies over five years in force which have matured and shall mature in 1906. To all death claims on Policies over five years in force it adds 5 per cent; to all death claims on Policies over 6 years in force, 6 per cent, and an additional 1 per cent for each year of duration.

ONE MILLION TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

In addition to this the immediate benefits (payable during the six months after date of issue) on adult Industrial Policies, excepting Term and Endowment, issued during 1906, have been doubled. Certain increases have also been made in the benefits on

infantile Endowment Policies during the first year. The cost of these, which will operate as a dividend on all claims maturing during this year, on the issue of this year, is approximately

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

These dividends are over and above the dividend declared on Industrial Policies January 1 last, which was a quinquennial cash dividend, amounting to about 20 per cent of the premium for a year, declared on all Policies (excepting Increasing Life and En-

dowment Policies, which by their terms carry benefits increasing yearly after the third year) issued in 1881, 1886, 1891, 1896 and 1901. The amount appropriated for this dividend was about

SIX HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Thus the Company THIS YEAR has declared and IS PAYING dividends on Industrial Policies amounting to

Over Two Millions of Dollars

Every one of these Policies is non-participating, promising a definite sum only at maturity, without dividends. The payment of the dividend is PURELY VOLUNTARY. Dividends have been actually paid without promise for many years by the Metropolitan. The total amount now approximates

Ten Millions of Dollars

in 12 years. Included among these Policies are hundreds of thousands of Policies issued by other companies and assumed by the Metropolitan.

INTERMEDIATE

Intermediate Policies for \$500 each have been issued by the Metropolitan for 10 years past. They are policies designed for such of the industrial classes as can afford to pay annual, semi-annual or quarterly premiums instead of weekly.

As the plan was new there was no actual experience to guide the Company as to the mortality cost. The Company promised to pay, if earned, dividends after five years and annually thereafter. This year the Company set aside over

Six Hundred and Twenty Thousand Dollars

to be paid in dividends on Intermediate Policies during 1906. Payment of these dividends has brought the cost of the Policies very nearly down to non-participating rates.

ORDINARY

The Ordinary Policies issued by the Company for the last 15 years have been practically all written on non-participating rates—plain business contracts for plain business men, which tell their whole story upon their face, leave nothing to the imagination, borrow nothing from hope, require definite conditions and make definite promises in dollars and cents. The rates, therefore, are low. The Company has in force, however, a considerable, though compared with its total business, a very small percentage of participating business. Some of the Policies were issued on annual dividend

and some on deferred dividend plans—many of the latter having been issued by other Companies and assumed by the Metropolitan. Upon these Policies the Company has this year declared and is paying a dividend equal to the excess premium charged by mutual rates over the non-participating rates charged on its current business. The amount of this dividend is nearly TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS, which is a voluntary extra dividend.

Thus the amount of dividends the METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY is paying this year is nearly,

Three Millions of Dollars

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McCarthy's Attack on Gillett Is Discussed.

SANDY'S GOSSIP

How the Fight for Governor Is Now Progressing.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 1.—Sometimes in politics the wisest men make the biggest mistakes. If Abe Ruef turned loose that P. H. McCarthy letter and interview about candidate Gillett it was one of the most asinine moves ever made on the California chessboard. It made the nomination of Gillett a certainty, and started people to laughing at Schmitz. As the mayor had just been hissed by the carmen, he was not in a position to be laughed at.

The way the Republicans accepted that declaration by McCarthy that Gillett is on the Gompers' black list is enough to give the wiser labor leaders pause. Evidently the party managers and the party candidates are more than eager to pick up the gauntlet and go right into a fight with organized labor. The Schmitz victory of last year has not scared but inflamed the Republican leaders. They are ready to come out and make the issue in the State whether they or Gompers, McCarthy and Schmitz shall be the dominating factors in the party in California. They are confident that, even should the union men in the cities go over to the Democrats or the Independence League or Schmitz, the country vote will give the Republican nominees a regular Rooseveltian majority.

There is no doubt Schmitz had a hand in the McCarthy move. Whether Ruef was in it remains to be seen. Certainly he was one of those who spread the story after McCarthy had made his declaration, and he was among the first to say: "This puts the Republican party in a very bad way." So he may have thought that the move was in favor of Schmitz. If so, it was the one fool break the little boss has been guilty of.

In the first place it put Gillett in the position of a Republican martyr—a martyr to the cause of party discipline in Washington. It made the betting at least even that Gillett would be nominated without Ruef. It gave Hayes a hunch that Ruef was not true to his cause. It split his votes as between Hayes and Schmitz, and gave the Citizens' Alliance men on the delegation an excuse for going to the Humboldt man. It started a story that he could not control a lot of his delegates, as against Schmitz. And, taken for all in all, it was a serious tactical blunder.

The move certainly has intensified a growing enmity between Ruef and some of the Herrin lieutenants. It may result in a call to arms by Herrin, and then it is certain that quite a bunch of the San Francisco delegates would declare for their old allegiance and against Ruef. That sort of thing may come yet, though I do not expect it. There is not much romance or idealism in Herrin or Ruef, and they know they are much more effective together than apart.

To the man who is not entirely on the inside and who must guess at arrangements by results, the question continually arises: What has Ruef secured out of his alliance with Herrin? Nothing shows on the surface. The slate, as far as it is made up,

is very generally known. On it Ruef appears to have nothing of consequence, unless State Printer Shannon be credited to him. The rest of the ticket belongs to a combination made to secure the nomination of Gillett—the Herrin combination. Ruef seems to get no patronage offices out of it. The last move seems to alienate Gillett, which would take away the chance for Ruef to control the rich patronage of the water front, which would help to keep his followers in places of profit.

But Ruef does get the naming of the legislative delegation. That means that he is to control the holdover senators from San Francisco who will have a vote for United States Senator two years from next winter. It has long been an open secret that Ruef aspires to be United States Senator. If he has arranged with Herrin to get all the Republican and labor votes from San Francisco he will have a very good start toward his ambition. If he could have his own governor at Sacramento he would be hunched along quite a way on his course toward Washington. So the theory spreads that the understanding with Herrin has been as to the legislature and not as to the patronage offices.

That Ruef will be United States Senator is easily open to doubt. He would stir up all the country opposition that used to defeat General De Young, and a great deal more. But it always is in the cards for as able a man as Ruef to pull through. He can use his San Francisco influence to make advantageous combinations. I do not see that he is making them this time, but the real time for combinations is not until two years from now. The swing may come his way with the next turn of the political globe. He is at least something for Perkins and the other aspirants to consider.

That Schmitz has a craze to be governor is apparent to all observers now. He has had the ambition for a long time. He said just after his last election as mayor that the next time he ran for office it would be for something higher. Since the fire all sorts of men have told him they would back him for anything he wanted. That has swelled him considerably. He thinks that if he could get before the people he could run as he ran for mayor. And the fact is that in San Francisco he would "go some." Outside the city, however, his name has little power to charm.

Months and months ago we used to say that Schmitz and Ruef would come to the parting of the ways this fall, because Schmitz would insist on running for governor, while Ruef would be tied up to Hayes. But the fire seems to have transmuted things so that Ruef really seems to be willing to quit Hayes in favor of Schmitz; but in doing so he has not accomplished anything for Schmitz and may have lost Hayes.

That the State Labor convention next Wednesday night will nominate Schmitz for governor seems to be on the pro-

gram. That he will not get the Republican, Democratic or Union Labor nomination is what the betting men call a cinch. So he will go out before the people as an independent nominee.

Then along will come the Independence League and nominate for governor either District Attorney Langdon or William H. Alford, Democratic members of the State Board of Equalization. The Democratic convention at Sacramento on September 11 is not likely to take up either Langdon or Alford. Gavin McNab is opposed to both of them, and though he has lost the San Francisco delegation, which is to caucus against him this week, he should retain his old control in the country, where he has all along been the master of Democracy.

Consequently, we are likely to have Gillett, Schmitz, Alford or Langdon, and a Democratic nominee all in the field for governor, not to mention the Socialist and Prohibitionist nominees. That ought to make an easy win for Gillett, will the opposition to him all split up? It should put Herrin back into a firmer control than he has had in a long time. After the defeats on Burns for senator and Gage for governor, Herrin's "Organization" seemed getting very weak. But here everything is opening up for him. His lieutenants have captured the works, up and down the State, and he is even getting strong enough to tell union labor to go hang.

If Hearst puts any money behind the Independence League it may make quite a showing, notwithstanding the fact that it came into the game at the last minute without any organization. If Hearst does not put some money behind the movement it will cut very little figure this year, whatever it may do in the future. The Democrats, of course, are in a pitiful position. They haven't had money enough to pay their campaign bills since Hearst ceased to put up for them. When they get together they put in their time calling names. Consequently, they have been dwindling away from year to year, until now they seem to amount to very little. The party has shown that it has more lives than ten cats, but in California now it is in the position of having lost all the cats and to be in rigor mortis.

In our troubles in San Francisco Patrick Calhoun is boasting that he has beaten the carmen and the steamer owners are boasting that they have beaten the striking seamen. It is hard to beat men who can make over \$3 a day in almost anything they wish to turn their hands to. The strike breakers can run the cars, but in a year or two they will be in a striking union, so nothing much will be gained. Meantime a lot of innocent people will be killed or maimed. On the water front the struggle has only begun. When these owners learn to get solid with their workmen and look after wages first and dividends afterward everybody will get along in better shape. I'll wager every strike breaking conductor will knock down or overlook more than \$3 a day. And there will be a lot of property destroyed just to make Pat Calhoun's head swell with pride.

SANDY.

ATTEMPTS TO STEAL MORGAN'S COSTLY GIFT

Gems Presented by J. Pierpont to France Are Object of Burglar's Cupidity.

By PAUL VILLIERS.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE, W. R. Hearst service, over longest leased wire in the world.)

PARIS, Sept. 1.—An attempt has been made to steal the collection of American precious stones presented by J. P. Morgan to the French nation and now housed in the museum of natural history at the Jardin des Plantes.

The would-be burglar had placed a ladder against the side of the building the upper rung of which came just a little below the window of the room in which the gems are exhibited. He had removed the putty from three sides of a pane of glass and had probably been interrupted in his work, for he was nowhere in sight when the ladder was discovered.

The attention of the authorities having been called by this incident to the facility with which an entrance to the building could be gained and the famous Morgan collection carried away, a special night watchman is to be placed on guard in that room.

FUNCTIONARIES MUST WORK.

"Clemenceau, the Strong" as the Minister of the Interior is now called, though in Carlsbad just now, manages to keep a close lookout on what goes on in his ministry, as the employees

have just learned to their sorrow when M. Clemenceau became Prime Minister one of the first things he did was to insist on the actual presence at their duties of all the employees.

Moreover, he instituted the system of time-sheets, a thing which had never before been heard of where functionaries were concerned. It was discovered that some employees of the ministry in the upper ranks never set foot inside their offices except on pay day.

This strenuous Clemenceau put a stop to at once by discharging every man who was not on duty during the stated office hours every day. As soon as Clemenceau left Paris the personnel of the ministry heaved a sigh and fell back into its old shirking ways. Some came late, some not at all. But they have not outwitted the wily Clemenceau, who has received by telegraph the names of those who have been tardy or absent and has promptly dismissed them.

CURE DISEASE BY MUSIC.

The latest craze in therapeutics seems to be the curing of diseases by means of musical instruments. Violins are recommended for people afflicted with a mania, base viols combat nervous depression and musicism, the harp is used for calming hysterics, the flute is said to cure tuberculosis in its

early stages; trumpets are given to those who are afflicted with the mania of persecution, and the oboe braces those whose brains have become weakened through sorrow in love. The cornet is reported to reduce stoutness, the trombone to cure deafness, and the bugle, so the exponents of the new theory claim, is a sovereign remedy against diseases of the spinal cord.

MARRIAGE A REAL "LOTTERY."

Something new in the lottery line has been started for a small Italian town near Milan. It is a marriage lottery and the prizes are thirty beautiful girls. The tickets cost about ten lire (or francs), each, and with the proceeds of their sale the dowries of the girls are constituted, the first prize girl getting 200,000 francs.

However, marriage is not compulsory. If the young man drawing a prize does not care to marry or does not fancy the girl attached to the prize, he can divide the money with her and the matter is considered settled to the satisfaction of all concerned. As the girls are all great beauties and possessed of many charming qualities of heart and mind, as well, it is unlikely that any will be left unmarried.

QUEEN'S WEDDING GIFTS.

Wedding presents for Queen Victoria of Spain continue to come in. The postal employees of this city have just offered her youthful majesty a gold postal card enriched with precious stones.

The telephone employees all over the country have banded together in presenting the new Queen of Spain with a beautiful instrument of massive silver.

WILL COURT-MARTIAL DILATORY OFFICERS

PORT LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Sept. 1.—A court-martial will sit here to try First Lieutenant J. A. Brockman, Seventeenth Infantry, a member of the infantry and cavalry school, and a native of Georgia. The war department recently experienced difficulty in obtaining from army officers answers to official communications and those who have been dilatory have, it is stated, been threatened with court-martial. The case of Brockman was the first case of this kind to be tried here.

U. S. CONSTITUTION IS BAR TO KAISER'S VISIT

Would Come to This Country, but President Roosevelt Cannot Return the Call.

By MALCOLM CLARKE

(Special to THE TRIBUNE, W. R. Hearst service, over longest leased wire in the world.)

BERLIN, Sept. 1.—The United States constitution is the rock upon which the Kaiser's hope of visiting America has stranded. A week or two ago Emperor William had made up his mind that he would visit the country where so many of his subjects had found a new home, some time next summer, but now the master of ceremonies has rendered the dictum that owing to the paragraph in the United States constitution which forbids an American President to leave the country during his term of office, the German ruler cannot pay an official visit to a country whose executive cannot return the visit, and even the present impetuous ruler of Germany must submit to this rule of etiquette.

It does seem rather hard on the Kaiser that he cannot visit the two countries in which he is most interested, France and America, but there seems to be no way to get around the difficulty, and he can only thank Providence that the people of Norway did not declare in favor of a republic, which would have also closed that country to him.

PRIDE IS HURT.

That armor plates manufactured in the United States have proved superior to those made by the famous Krupp works has greatly hurt German pride, as it had been thought the German armor would lead the world for years to come. The only rival which the Krupp people had feared was Japan, where it

is said a new hardening process had been invented, and it was without any misgivings and rather as an unnecessary formality that plates were sent to Italy to be tested in comparison with French and American armors.

Even though the armor made by the Americans did prove stronger than the German, it is not thought that the contract for the armor for the new Italian battleships will be given to the American concern, as the Italian government will hardly dare to incur the ill-will of the Kaiser, who is very much interested in the Krupp works.

DIPLOMAT AN ALLEGED THIEF.

The arrest of the Russian Councillor of State and former Ambassador to this country, Alexander Oneger, as a common thief has caused a sensation in this city, where the councillor was well known, especially because the Kaiser had taken a fancy to him.

The councillor, who will undoubtedly be remembered by many in America from the time he was acting consul-general in New York and connected with the Russian embassy in Washington, was arrested by French detectives at Brest, accused of having stolen a valuable diamond necklace from Countess Von Forst while he was her guest at her country seat in Brittany. There seems to be no doubt of his guilt, as the necklace was found in his apartments by the detectives. The councillor was formerly rich, but owing to his extravagant habits he has been for some time in financial difficulties.

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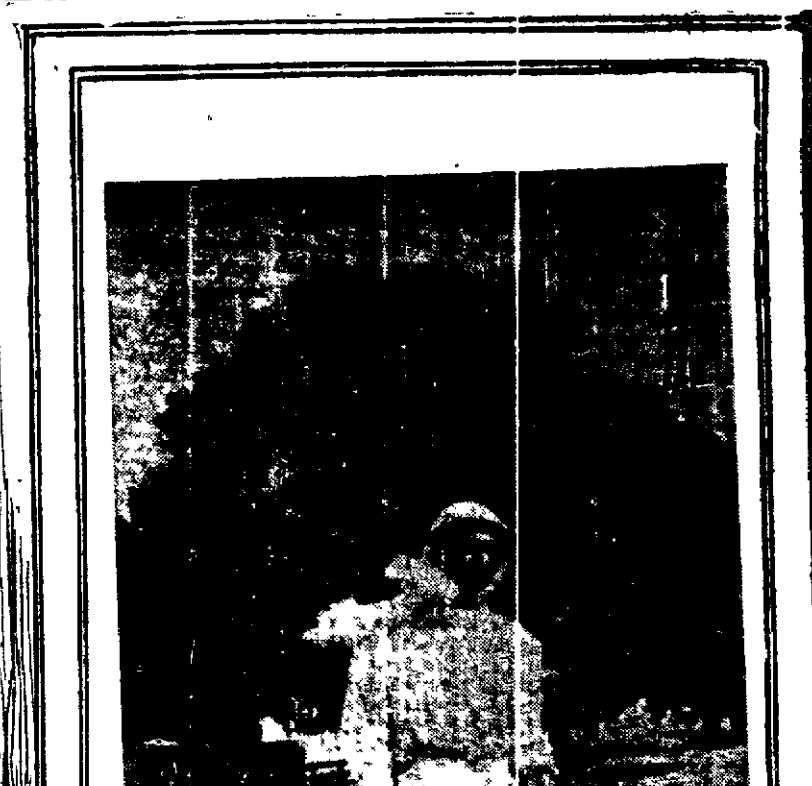
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ANOTHER STATE JOINS FORCES

**Puerto Principe Province Takes
Up Arms Against Palma
Government.**

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HAVANA, Sept. 1.—Puerto Principe Province has joined the revolution. It is the last to take up arms against the Palma government, which at last realizes that the insurrection is serious. Rurales have been rushed there, but their number is utterly inadequate to cope with the situation. They can only hope at best to stem the tide for such time as the government needs to send reinforcements. The rebels in Puerto Principe are led by Gerardo Canazares, who is a member of the national assembly. He has long been known as one of the irreconcilables.

Canazares left the town of Moron Monday with a small band, but it is understood he has received considerable additions to his force. The Rurales who were sent after him failed to overtake him or ever to find a trace of him or his men. It is believed that he has gone to join General Delon Sanchez, a veteran of the war of liberation who is reported near Arro Blanco in the Province of Puerto Principe with 500 well armed men.

Arro Blanco is twenty two miles from Moron in a southwesterly direction. The governor of the province has telegraphed here that the whole district is in a state of unrest and that troops are badly needed. He sent word that he was enrolling volunteers and that many were volunteering for service in the field. The hope was expressed that the revolt was not as serious as appeared on the face of events. So serious is the state of affairs at Cienfuegos in Santa Clara that the city hall has been fortified. An armored car was sent out from this city today with a force of Rurales. No word has been received from them. It is reported that 500 rebels were seen near the town yesterday.

TOWN TALK
If you read this week's Town Talk you will find that the strike is no without a people side. San Francisco's labor troubles are discussed from several standpoints in the clever magazine and among other things of interest to be found in its columns is a sketch of the career of Farley, the strike breaker. The Spectator tells of another big New York firm that is coming to San Francisco to firm those members in the great test experts in their line in the world. It states the of the armament of a Supreme Court justice what he found in the Century Club. He told of a tragedy that was rushed up and gives a lot of exclusive news about the smart set. There is a very artistic bit of fiction in this week's paper and the usual supply of witisms and verse.

TREPOFF AT DEATH'S POINT

**Russian General Said to be Dying
Great Secrecy Concerning
Condition.**

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ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 1.—There is an insistent rumor here that General Trepoft is dying at the palace at Peterhof. While this has been denied several times in a half-hearted way, there is ground for belief that he is in a precarious condition. The nature of his illness is a mystery, but a connection has been traced to the report that he has been poisoned.

No one can be found who has seen him for several weeks and the greatest secrecy is preserved concerning him. A clue to the affair may be found in the fact that a man who was recently arrested at Peterhof was seen to swallow a piece of paper which is believed to have contained a list of names of those whom the police are seeking. All efforts to force a confession from him have thus far been unsuccessful. More than 200 persons were dragged from their homes by the police. It is reported that the police acted with the greatest brutality. Even children were slashed with whips. There is great public indignation.

**HANGS HERSELF TO
SCARE PLAYMATES.**

READING, Sept. 1.—A joke intended to frighten her sister and a friend caused the death by hanging of Rebecca Pollock, twelve years old, in the cellar of her mother's home, on the Fairview road, near Alsace church, yesterday.

Mrs. Pollock came to Reading yesterday to purchase necessities for a Sunday school picnic, to which the family was going today. She left Rebecca at home with her younger sister and Mary Weidenheimer, a playmate.

When the mother returned she found the two younger girls speechless with fright and Rebecca nowhere to be found. Her body was finally discovered in the cellar hanging by a clothesline in a sitting posture from the railing of the stairs.

It is believed the girl intended to frighten her companions by pretending to hang herself and that she slipped as she was adjusting the noose, being slowly strangled to death, while the other girls played upstairs, wondering where she was.

**POLICEMAN DIES;
WIFE NEEDS FUNDS.**
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—Chief of Police Dinan received word here this morning that Policeman John F. Walsh had died at Summerville, Mass., Sunday yesterday. The telegram states that the wife is in need of funds at once.

STILL SAYS HE IS INNOCENT

**Convicted Murderer Stoutly
Maintains That He Is Guilt-
less of Crime.**

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LOS ANGELES, Sept. 1.—Ernest G. Stackpole, convicted of the murder of Joel Scheck and sentenced to life imprisonment, having been granted a stay of execution of sixty days, still stoutly maintains his innocence of the crime. In interviews today Stackpole said the fight for a new trial would be carried to the court of last resort. He referred to important new evidence which he stated his attorneys would bring forward, but did not disclose the nature of it.

He refused to discuss details of the murder of which he was convicted. Mrs. Scheck, who confessed to being Stackpole's accomplice in the murdering of her husband, is still in the county jail. It is stated that she will shortly be brought into court where she will plead guilty to murder in the second degree and receive a light sentence.

**THIS INDIVIDUAL
SAYS HE IS ADAM.**

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 1.—James F. Sharp, who says he is Adam, and a band of very slightly clad followers, numbering fifty, marched through the streets today from their abandoned camp outside.

In the party were many little children who had marched for eight miles without a stop and were hardly able to walk.

Covered wagons containing a dozen or more babies brought up the rear of the parade. Sharp led a procession of nude persons through the streets here a year ago, which resulted in one of the band being sent to the asylum. Sharp returned a few weeks ago and established a camp east of this town, where many of his followers went without clothing under the belief that they were in the Garden of Eden.

**BABY GIRL RESCUES
A DROWNING INFANT.**

STROUDSBURG, Pa., Sept. 1.—Although she is only one year old, Marguerite Wisenar today saved the life of Kenneth the ten-month-old son of Mrs. Blanche Henry, of East Stroudsburg.

The children were playing on the rear porch of a hotel, when the Henry boy worked his way to the edge of the porch and fell into a runway filled with water.

With remarkable presence of mind, Marguerite lay down and attempted to grasp the little fellow. Then she sounded an alarm which brought help. The boy was unconscious when rescued and for a time was thought to be dead.

TO CONFORM TO NEW LAW

**Conferences Planned to Prepare
Railroads for Present
Situation.**

(Special to THE TRIBUNE, W. R. Hearst service, over longest leased wire in the world.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—Henry Adams, statistician of the Interstate Commerce Commission, following a conference with members of the commission and officials connected with his department, left for Chicago today to begin his great task of reducing the accounts of all the railroad systems to uniformity, in compliance with the provisions of the new law.

On Wednesday next Mr. Adams will meet the auditors of the roads having general offices in Chicago and they will begin a general discussion of the task before them. The railroad men have assured Mr. Adams of their desire to co-operate with him in bringing the desired results about.

After his conference in Chicago Mr. Adams will go to Omaha to hold a like conference with the officials of the trans-Mississippi territory, thence to St. Louis. He will return here after this for a few days and then proceed to New York for a like conference with the officers of the Eastern roads.

**FEROCIOUS INDIAN
LANDS IN PRISON.**

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., Sept. 1.—A full-blooded Indian chieftain, resplendent in feathers and war paint, occupies a cell in the borough station house, while his faithful squaw at the jail door awaits his release. The prisoner, Man-Afraid-of-Bull, is a leader among the half hundred Indians who travel with a Wild West show which exhibited here, and yesterday partook too freely of the white man's refreshments.

He put on his war paint, did the war dance and went on the warpath. The Indian colony was soon in wild disorder, and the circus managers called upon the local police. By a ruse the policeman succeeded in capturing the brave.

Man-Afraid-of-Bull is the first Indian that the local police force has had to cope with. He sits in his cell and maintains a sullen silence, broken only when his squaw demands admission at the jail door. Then he utters a few grunts and darts angry glances at his keepers.

Burgess Evans is in a quandary how to deal with the aborigine, and the circus managers have requested that the borough authorities care for the Indian and his squaw until Sunday, when they shall be shipped to Hagerstown, Md., to rejoin their companions.

TROUBLE WITH POLICEMAN.
According to the records of the receiving hospital "E. Hagen of 1850 Seventh street mixed it with a policeman." Hagen's "mixing" cost him a lacerated wound of the eyebrow. He was treated at the receiving hospital last night by Warden James Page.

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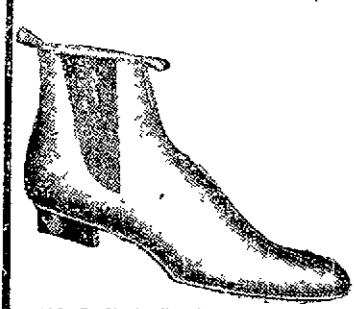
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FIRST WARD.

Precinct No. 1—All qualified voters residing north of Broadway and west of Broadway will vote at 4004 Piedmont avenue.

Precinct No. 2—All qualified voters residing south of Broadway and west of Broadway will vote at 5837 San Pablo avenue.

Precinct No. 3—All qualified voters residing east of Broadway and north of Broadway will vote at 6325 Shattuck avenue.

Precinct No. 4—All qualified voters residing north of Broadway and east of Broadway will vote at 4004 Piedmont avenue.

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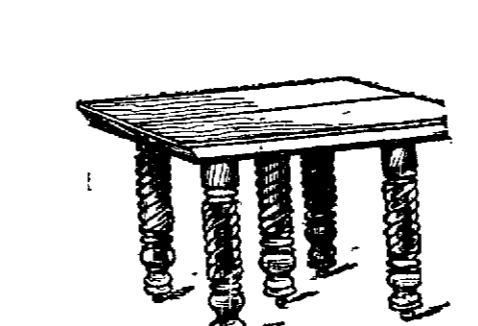
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CULLIGAN'S

Your Credit is Good—\$75 Worth of Furniture \$1.00 per Week
REASONS WHY CULLIGAN IS DOING THE FURNITURE BUSINESS OF OAKLAND. FIRST: WE REPRESENT FOUR OF THE LEADING FACTORIES OF THE COUNTRY. SECOND: OUR EXPENSES ARE SMALL, ABOUT \$750 A MONTH. OUR RETAIL FRIENDS HAVE AN EXPENDITURE OF FROM \$4000 TO \$10,000 A MONTH AND BESIDES, SOME OF THEM PAY 10 PER CENT COMMISSION TO THE "MIDDLEMAN." WE GET OUR FURNITURE DIRECT FROM THE FACTORIES—NO "MIDDLEMAN" WITH US.
Just In---4 Carloads of Dining Room Tables
FOR THE COMING WEEK THEY WILL BE ON SALE AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES FROM OUR REGULAR FIGURES. UNHEARD OF BARGAINS IN
Oak Extension Tables---Here are Six Specials for the Next Six Days



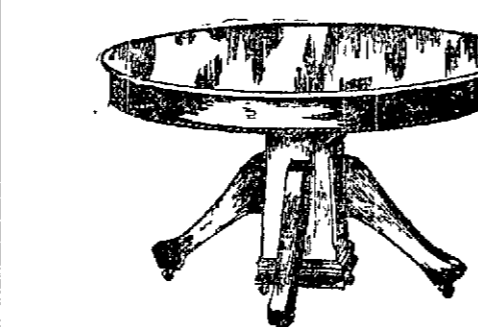
This Golden Fur Round Table; 6 feet extension. CULLIGAN'S PRICE this sale \$7.50
Retail price \$15.



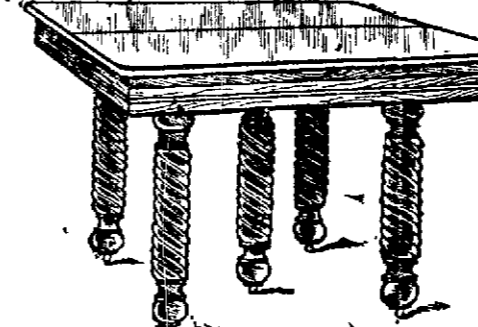
This beautiful Table in golden oak. Round or square; 6 feet extension. CULLIGAN'S PRICE this sale \$12.50
Retailers' price \$22.00.



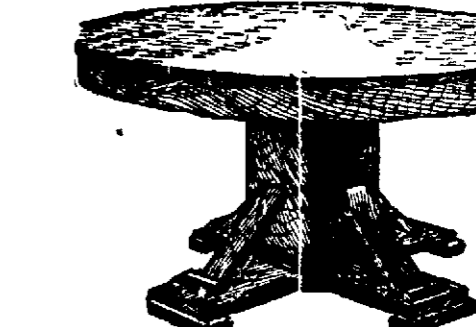
Here is a big bargain. Pedestal Top Oak Table. CULLIGAN'S PRICE this sale \$17.50
Retailers' price \$27.50.



How is this for a bargain? Quartered Oak Pedestal Top. Can't be duplicated by the retailer less than \$35. CULLIGAN'S PRICE this sale \$22.00



COMMENT is unnecessary regarding this table. Go and see if the retailer will not charge you \$40 for it. CULLIGAN'S PRICE this sale \$25.00



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HUNT BROS. CO.
CORRECT AN ERROR
In regard to an article published in THE TRIBUNE on Wednesday, August 26, relative to Hunt Brothers company, proprietors of the Los Gatos cannery, having purchased the Los Gatos cannery, the following communication has been received:

"Editor TRIBUNE, Oakland, Cal.:
Dear Sir: There appeared an article in last night's issue of THE TRIBUNE, dated August 23, relative to this company having purchased the Los Gatos cannery. The information as concerns the purchase is correct, but the statement that both the Hayward and Los Gatos canneries belong to the California Fruit Canners' Association is an error, and we wish you would make due correction. The California Fruit Canners' Association has no interest in either one of these canneries, either directly or indirectly. Yours very truly,
"HUNT BROTHERS CO."

TO TRANSFER PASSENGERS.
HONOLULU, Aug. 31 9 p. m.—The Toyo-Kisen Oriental Company's steamer Hongkong will take sixty-two passengers of the Pacific Mail liner Manchu, stranded on the north end of Oahu, to the Orient.

A Healing Gospel.
The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters: "I cured me of same back, stiff joints, and complete physical collapse. I was so weak it took me half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me so strong I have just walked three miles in fifty minutes and feel like walking three more. It's made a new man of me." Greatest remedy for weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at Good Bros' drug stores, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets. Price 60c.

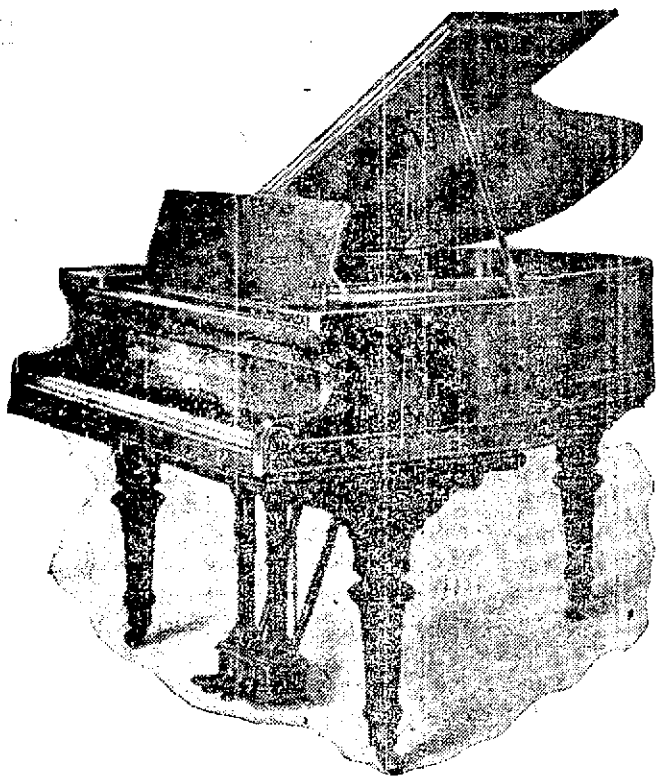
RAILROAD CONTRACT LET.
SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 1.—Contracts for the building of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul from the Bitter Root Mountains to the Columbia River have been let to H. Henry of Seattle.

The Paul Gerson School of Acting
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The Largest & Foremost Training School of Acting in America
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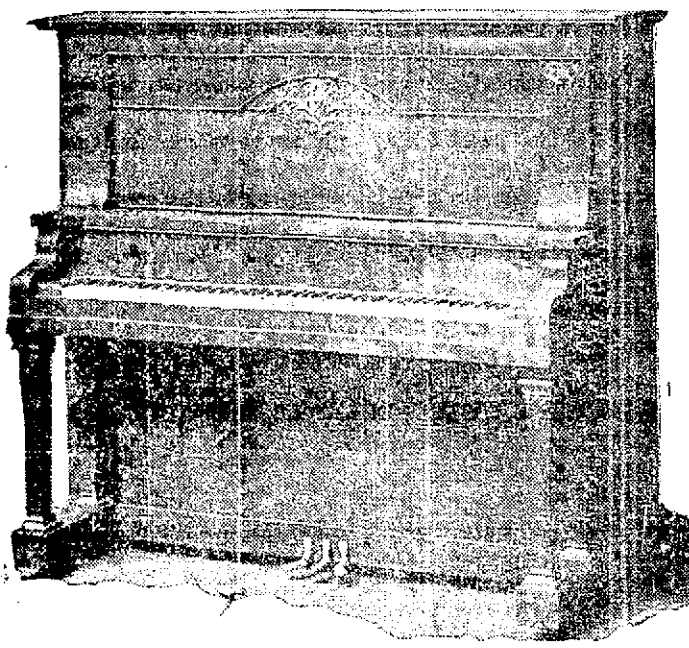
One continual sale of pianos is the order of the day, and there is not a day goes by but we sell from two to ten pianos in our Oakland store. Our goods are always marked as close as it is possible to sell them, considering their grade, and make a legitimate profit which any house must make, to be able to continue business. We are in business to make money, and our prosperity is a safeguard to you, as it places us in a position to keep on hand the finest line of pianos ever carried by any one house. Now if you don't care to purchase a fine piano, such as the Knabe, Mason & Hamlin, Hardman, Conover, Ludwig, Packard or Price & Teeple, we always have a bargain piano from \$140 upward, which we will sell in a pinch, but to be honest about it we would rather sell you a good, reliable piano, and make a constant friend of you. We are here to stay and wish to be considered the most reliable house.

We now have a complete line of Knabe Grand and Uprights, also player pianos, including the celebrated Knabe Angelus, Harrington and Hardman Autotones, and one Playola piano which we will sell at \$400. It's a bargain. Before purchasing your piano don't fail to see us, as it is to your interest.

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"BIKE" THIEVES WORK STEADILY

Long List of Machines Stolen During the Past Two Weeks.

August 15.—Racyle bicycle stolen from 469 Twelfth street. Property of Herbert B. Kincaid of 1263 Eighth street.

August 16.—Hartford bicycle stolen from 1321 Broadway. Property of William R. Keyes of 468 Oakland avenue.

Racyle bicycle stolen from Eighth and Franklin streets. Property of Robert N. Jensen of 657 Sixth street.

August 17.—Columbia bicycle stolen from in front of Macdonough building. Property of Arthur W. Evans of 223 Fifth street.

August 18.—Columbia chainless bicycle stolen from 1437 Chestnut street. Property of Mrs. Hilda Buckson.

August 20.—Hartford bicycle stolen from 821 Grove street. Property of Miss J. Hornung, 619 San Pablo avenue.

August 22.—Royal bicycle stolen from 762 Thirtieth street. Property of J. Brewis of 771 Twenty-second street.

August 23.—Cleveland bicycle stolen from Bacon block. Property of M. F. Silva of 1271 Jackson street.

Racyle bicycle stolen from 418 Eleventh street. Property of William Kohler, 1772 Gess street.

Racyle bicycle stolen from Washington street, between Sixth and Seventh streets. Property of Frank Woodward of 493 Orchard street.

Imperial bicycle stolen from Fourteenth street and Broadway. Property of John Gent of Fourth and Clay streets.

August 24.—Tribune bicycle stolen from Lafayette school. Property of Bernard Welbrin of 581 Hobart street.

Cleveland bicycle stolen from 1053 Broadway. Property of Wright Lucas of 884 Lydia street.

August 25.—Racyle bicycle stolen from Lee's picture store. Property of Frederick Wright of 813 Third street.

Rambler bicycle stolen from 1058 Broadway. Property of A. R. Forbes.

Over-Johnson bicycle stolen from 578 Twentieth street. Property of Elwood Patterson.

August 26.—Cleveland bicycle stolen from Twelfth and Market streets. Property of Miss Ella Sanderson of 914 Linden street.

August 30.—Pierce bicycle stolen from 917 Myrtle street. Property of Miss Isabel Porter.

August 31.—Argonaut bicycle stolen from 1058 Broadway. Property of A. R. Forbes.

Racyle stolen from Eighteenth street and Telegraph avenue. Property of Frank Du France.

Yale bicycle stolen from in front of postoffice. Property of C. D. Avery of 572 Tenth street.

WHO IS THE THIEF?

The above is a list of the bicycles which have been stolen during the past two weeks. A like number of thefts of wheels were committed in the first two weeks of August. The police have caught three men accused of stealing the wheels, but the thefts still continue. It is believed that the real offender is still at large.

The detectives of the police department have recovered about half of the wheels stolen. Many of the bicycles have been sold at the pawn shops and others have been sold to individuals for small sums.

Captain of Police Petersen states that it has been found that the stolen bicycles have been entirely altered and then sold, the number being the only identifying mark.

It is believed that the bicycle thieves watch for a chance to steal a wheel, and when the opportunity arrives take the wheel as soon as the owner leaves it. The thieves have entered school-houses and business buildings and taken wheels.

FISH DEALER ARRESTED.

For selling crabs which were undersized, G. F. Lohr, a butcher at 211 San Pablo avenue, and A. L. Hamilton, a fish dealer at 471 Eleventh street, were arrested last night by Deputy Game Commissioner Wood and charged with violating the State fish and game laws. Each deposited \$25 bail for his release.

WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY.

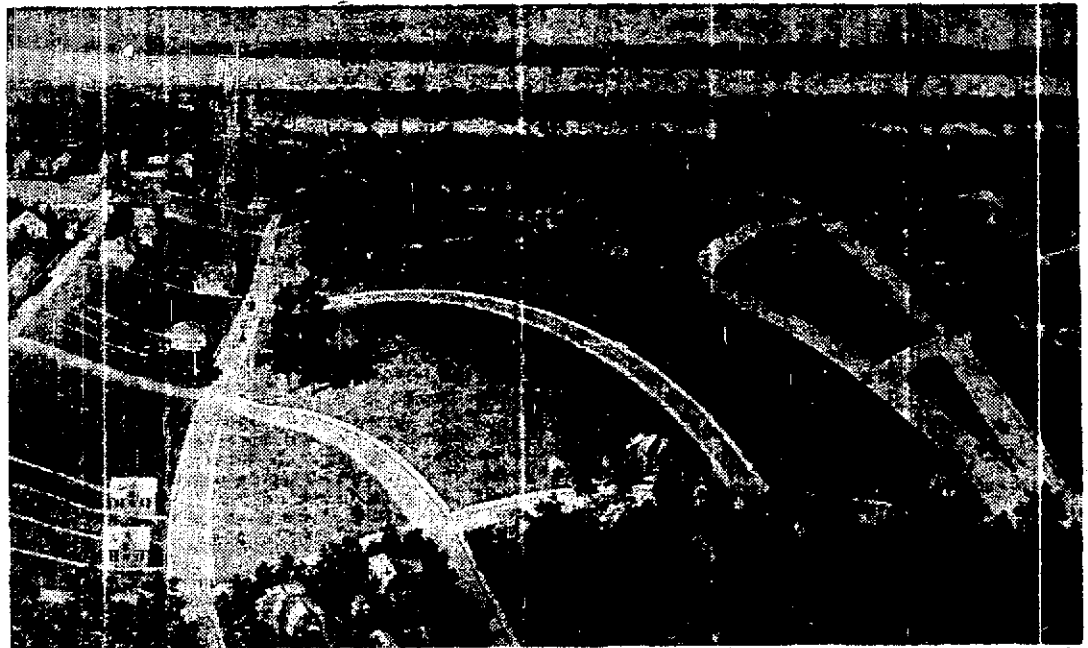
Mrs. Rachael T. Hartman passed away yesterday at her home at 93 Louisiana street in this city. Deceased was the wife of David Hartman. Mrs. Hartman was a native of Philadelphia and 55 years of age. As she was not attended by a doctor at the time of her death, an inquest is to be held on Tuesday, September 4.

Keller's Pure Food Candies In Demand.

Confectionery made of pure ingredients is something rare now-a-days. The Keller Candy Company of this city who have their modern factory at 477 Seventh street justly claimed the reputation of making pure candies, which materials include absolutely the best butter and cream obtainable. You may not be able to get Keller's candies of every dealer because they handle cheaper grades of an injurious nature. Such confectionery is not healthy, in fact a detriment to children. "The little ones" naturally like all they can secure of sweetsmeats for their money—and some give more of the cheaper grade and that's why they don't handle Keller's because it costs more. When you can not get Keller's candies from your dealer, then phone to the Keller Factory and they will be delivered to you. They cost a trifle more, but remember they are the pure kind. Every course is guaranteed and you make no mistake in having your children to eat it as well as yourself. The Keller candies are beneficial—this popular and favorite company has an immense trade, which patronage is increasing right along. They invite the inspection of their plant and it will show you how pure confectionery is made. It might be added that this concern are manufacturers of the celebrated Celery Beer and Indian Cough Tonic, two articles of merit that have a large demand by the public. Visit the factory and get a sample of each. You will endorse it as others have.

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MUST WRITE THEY'RE HAPPY

Czar's Soldiers Forced to Tell of Alleged Devotion to Government.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE, W. R. Hearst service, over longest leased wire in the world.)

MOSCOW, Sept. 1.—Compelling soldiers to write letters expressing satisfaction with their treatment and devotion to the government is the latest method adopted by the military authorities. The colonel of a dragon regiment stationed at Moscow insists on reading every letter written by his men to their relatives and if the letters do not breathe the loyalty and content, forces them to copy a special letter which he himself composes.

Illiterate soldiers are obliged to employ loyal professional letter writers, who, without their knowledge, insert in the letter phrases expressive of unbounded happiness.

GIRL IS LICENSED AS CHAUFFEUR.

TRENTON, Sept. 1.—Miss M. Coella Kuser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuser of Cadwalader place, this city, is proudly exhibiting to her friends the state license to run an automobile sold to her by State Motor Vehicle Commissioner J. B. Smith after the sixteen-year-old girl had stood a rigid test as to her ability to run an automobile. She went through the examination in fine style, and Expert Johnson of the state department says she knows as much about an automobile as he does. Under the New Jersey law no person under sixteen years can operate a motor car, and the young woman waited until her birthday.

Miss Kuser is now the regular chauffeur of her father's machine, and guides it along the roads like any of the high-priced dignitaries, who do not condescend to smile at their friends when passing them at sixty miles an hour.

WAS UNCONSCIOUS FROM BEE STINGS.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Sept. 1.—While driving near Everett, H. F. Evans was attacked by a swarm of bees and stung into insensibility. The bees settled on the Horse Mr. Evans was driving. He attempted to route them, and was so badly stung that he lost consciousness. Mrs. Evans, who was with her husband, was also badly stung, but her condition is not serious.

GRAND DUKES ACT HUMANELY

Condescend to Share in the Sports and Pastimes of the Common People.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE, W. R. Hearst service, over longest leased wire in the world.)

St. PETERSBURG, Sept. 1.—For the first time in Russian history grand dukes have condescended to share in the sports and pastimes of the people. The merit of the innovation is due to the scholarly Grand Duke Constantine, who, despite the wishes of two czars, sent his children to ordinary public schools and brought them up in touch with the people.

Grand Duke Constantine has a seaside residence on the Gulf of Finland, some five miles east of Peterhof, and here his two sons, Grand Duke Ivan and Grand Duke Gavril this week competed in a sailing match. The Grand Duke Gavril came in second best and took his beating like a sportsman, Grand Duke Constantine looking on and cheering the winners.

DOCTOR FIGHTS BATHHOUSE MAN.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 1.—A man, who gave the name of Dr. Le Ferro, of Philadelphia, was placed under arrest today for disorderly conduct.

He tagged his valuables before he went into the surf and then thoughtlessly placed the check, with which he had to redeem his package, in the bag. When he tried to get the package the doctor argued with the bathhouse man, who was obdurate and said he would settle the controversy after the day's business was done by turning over to the doctor the package that was left.

GRIFFIN AGENCY MAKES LARGE SALE.

The Marion Griffin Agency at 556 Broadway, have been negotiating many important deals of late and are becoming well known as one of the enterprising firms of this growing city. This agency yesterday sold the old Dr. Sanders home at 8th and Webster streets to Mrs. Oulton of Berkeley. It is learned that the consideration of the deal was \$15,000. The property will be improved and leased to Chinese merchants.

GAVE FIANCEE A TWO-DOLLAR HAT.

STROUDSBURG, Pa., Sept. 1.—A two-dollar wedding hat figures in the love affair of John Barbeau and Miss Lizzie Van Vleet. Barbeau, who is confined in the county jail for threatening to kill his fiancée because of her several postponements of their wedding day, alleges that he furnished the money for the hat and gave Lizzie other money for her wedding outfit.

At the hearing Lizzie's father testified that he returned the \$2; Barbeau denies this, and blames the old folks for the girl's change of mind.

WILL FURNISH NO CARS.

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 1.—The Northern Pacific railroad company issued an order effective at 7 o'clock

this morning that no cars will be furnished for carrying forest products east of Ellensburg, Wash. for one week. The embargo will be discontinued next Saturday midnight if the road is able to relieve the congestion meantime.

SHERIFF'S AUCTION SALE.

In the matter of H. F. Fry vs. S. D. Naimith. (See legal notice.)

Sale, Tuesday, September 4, at 10 a. m., at 1007 Clay street, Oakland. Comprising in part: Choice lot mahogany parlor furniture, pianos, bric-a-brac, imported rugs, round dining table, chairs and sideboard to match; iron and brass beds, bedding, mahogany and birdseye odd maple chiffoniers and dressers, china and glass ware and kitchen furniture. Open for inspection Monday afternoon. FRANK BARNET, Sheriff. FRANK D. ADAMS, Dept. Sheriff.

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FINDS DEPOSIT OF MANGANESE

Livermore Man Uncovers Ledge of Ore in Hills Northeast of Town.

LIVERMORE, Sept. 1.—Morgan M. Day reports that he has discovered a valuable deposit of manganese in the mountains northeast of this valley and not very far from the American Magnesite company's mine, and on sending a specimen in to be assayed he also found that it was rich in silver, the assay varying from 20 to 400 ounces of silver to the ton of ore. The ore also contains Jasper.

Day has filed a mining claim on his discovered deposit, and is making arrangements to have it developed. An electric separator for extracting the silver and separating it from the manganese and Jasper will be set up in Livermore. Several mines of manganese have been discovered in the Livermore mountains, but the finding of silver, in paying quantities is something entirely new.

CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS.

The Livermore Ark club has elected new officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, H. W. Merrill; secretary, Charles Livermore; treasurer, F. M. Mally; board of directors, W. A. Mally, Earl Downing and David McDonald.

INJURED BY FALL.

John P. Olsen fractured his thigh bone at the hip joint Tuesday afternoon by falling while working in the Livermore Commercial company's hay warehouse.

BALL GAME SUNDAY.

The City Fronts of San Francisco who were defeated here last Sunday by the local team, will play here again next Sunday.

TWOHEY BUILDING HOUSE.

Thomas Twohey Jr., began the erection this week of a five-room cottage for William Maclellan, on his recently purchased lots at the corner of G and Eighth streets.

BUYS HOME.

Per F. Budworth has purchased from J. R. Taylor of Oakland the latter's place on Fifth street, between J and K streets, consisting of a lot and a half, with a dwelling house. He will remove there as soon as the premises are vacated by the present occupants, E. P. Jackson and family.

LOAN ASSOCIATION FORMED.

The Building and Loan Association, which was being organized here by local business men, is now an assured fact. The following committee on organization was appointed at a meeting held Monday evening, as follows: C.

GIRLS CAN NOW GROW ICE CREAM

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Now comes the ice cream plant, a delicious product of the milk-weed and cold storage plant. By judiciously crossing these and engrafting the vanilla bean. Professor Pedro Maloni has created a new form of vegetable life which is almost incredible.

In appearance nothing out of the ordinary marks this astonishing achievement of man's genius. It looks like the milk-weed found growing in every pasture, but instead of the blossoms being small they are the size of a large plum, and glisten with myriads of tiny crystals.

Thriving best under the hot sun of August, the ice cream plant attains its full growth early in September, and the fruit is ripe enough to be plucked.

When the outer husk-like shell is removed a thin film much resembling wax paper is broken, and the smooth, rich yellow pulp can be emptied into a saucer. It is said that a large-sized ice cream plant will furnish dessert for a family of eight.

Professor Maloni has not succeeded in grafting the chocolate bean or the peach tree, although he has had some success with lemon buds.

PURCHASES NEW AUTO.

Cruik Brothers, of this place, have sold a new 20-horsepower Rambler automobile to General A. Davis, of Pleasanton, taking in exchange the 18-horsepower Rambler which they sold him a few weeks ago. The new machine, which is of the latest 1907 model, is expected to arrive in about a week.

ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCE.

The Recreation club will give an entertainment and dance at Sweeney opera house on Saturday (tomorrow) night, to raise funds for putting their tennis grounds in condition. Eight new members were received at a meeting held Monday evening.

PERSONALS.

Miss Grace McDevitt of San Francisco, a former resident of this place, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Dougherty.

Miss Mattie Knox returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Berkeley. Clifford Allen has gone to Stockton, where he will be employed by the Southern Pacific company.

The following births are recorded this week in Livermore: August 20, to the wife of Chris Iverson, a son; in Livermore, August 24, to the wife of J. J. Murray, a son.

MAYOR MOTT WANTS SUPPORT

Does Not Know What Oakland Will Do If Sewer Bonds Do Not Carry.

The dilapidated conditions of Oakland's sewers, which has called forth the proposed bond issue of \$588,500 for their reconstruction, is now a matter of discussion. The bond issue will be brought to vote on next Tuesday, September 4, and in the meantime everything is being done by officials to bring the citizens of Oakland to realize the necessity of passing the bonds which have been asked. A circular is about to be issued, setting forth in detail just what is contemplated in the way of improving the conditions which exist and which are declared to be dangerous to the health of the city.

In speaking of the contemplated bonds yesterday, Mayor Mott expressed himself strongly when emphasizing the necessity of having an undivided support when the issue comes to vote on Tuesday. The mayor said:

"If these bonds are not passed, I cannot see what we are going to do. Our outlets are inadequate and cannot carry the refuse and storm water as is necessary. Oakland is constantly growing. In the past it has been possible to make temporary makeshifts, but as our city is developing it is becoming more and more difficult to meet the heavy conditions imposed upon the civil bodies. The influx of new citizens since last April has given such an increase to our population that it is well nigh impossible to carry off the sewage with the makeshifts which have been brought into requisition, and I must confess that I doubt if in another year we can do as well as has been done this year."

But the comparatively small outlay of \$588,500 will relieve Oakland of any worry as to its sewers for a long time to come. Our present outlets are all of wood. They were constructed many years ago, when our city was very small and it was never anticipated that they should stand the strain which has been imposed upon them of late years. Naturally, besides the decay due to the action of time, they have broken down because of having been forced to do more work than they were planned to do. Another factor which has tended to incapacitate our sewers has come from the spreading of the city. At one time the approach to the water front was unobstructed, but of late years this section of the city has grown up and the erection of buildings there has been the cause of many cave-ins in the sewers over which the buildings were placed. This has been particularly so of those outlets where the railroad tracks cross them. Then the natural sediment and debris left along the water front by the tides have caused the tide land to run farther and farther out into the bay, with the result that those outlets which formerly were near the edge of the tide land are now in many places inland on the marshes, where they leave the

TO SPANK SON IF HE MARRIES

TRENTON, Sept. 1.—Love's young dream came to naught here today, when, following a published notice of the coming marriage of Miss Nellie Sheller to Leon Embley, the father of Embley, published the following:

TO ALL GIRLS.

The wedding of Leon Embley will be postponed until he arrives at the age of 21 years, as he is now only in his seventeenth year. His father positively notifies any girl that he refuses to give his consent.

JOHN P. EMBLEY.

A call at the house of Mrs. Emma Hanlon, stepmother of Miss Sheller, revealed the fact that the elder woman had refused Embley permission to call at the house, and while Miss Sheller had engaged herself to Embley, she had not authorized the announcement of their engagement.

Embley Sr. says should his son get married he would spank him and put him to bed. The young man remains in his room and refuses to be comforted.

refuse so dangerous to public health. "It is evident that the work of repairing and improving the sewers must be completed at the earliest possible date. The plan of reconstruction which has been proposed is perfectly adequate and is exceedingly cheap. But the city of itself cannot spend money out of its funds to cover the expenses. The total valuation of Oakland is something like \$58,000,000, and the annual

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Income is not over \$750,000. If the cost of reconstructing the sewers were taken out of the city's running expenses we have nothing left for other contingencies. The only way, then, that the money can be gotten is by issuing bonds. These are intended to be \$1000 each and to run for forty years. All I can say is that it is very evident that money must be gotten for reconstructing the sewers, and the only way this money can be gotten is by issuing bonds to be voted on next Tuesday."

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HOUSE IS UNDER RIVER

PARIS, Sept. 1.—Society in this city has just awakened to the fact that one of its leaders has completed a magnificent and costly mansion under the river Seine, where one can enjoy the most delicious coolness during these torrid days. Count Victor de Larnieu is the proprietor of the novel mansion, which he had built secretly between Melun and Sens in order to surprise his friends.

A few days ago he sent out invitations and automobiles to convey his guests to the strange habitation, and on arrival every one was surprised to find a most luxurious abode under the water. The entrance is through a grotto on the river embankment, and is adorned with many statues. An elevator takes the guests below the level of the river and then an entrance is made to a magnificent reception room, in the center of which a marble fountain adds to the coolness of the surroundings.

A complete dining room, library, bedroom and kitchen constitute the other apartments of the novel house. The count is besieged with requests for invitations to visit his abode under water, and it is probable he will remain there all through the summer, as nowhere, even at the seashore, can he meet with the comforts and coolness which he finds under the Seine.

HANGRY AT QUEEN'S ACTION

LONDON, Sept. 1.—King Edward is said to be very displeased at the fact that his royal consort has, against his wish, taken over all her new furniture for her new villa in Denmark in the royal yacht, and this after some sixty thousand pounds had only just been paid for redecoration of the yacht. Some considerable damage was done in getting the furniture in, but so anxious is the king from which it was purchased to keep in favor with His Majesty that it is willing to defray all the cost of putting things to rights.

Much of the furniture taken over came from London firms, and Consuelo, Duchess of Manchester, whose good taste is proverbial, has given Her Majesty much valuable advice. One lovely bit of Irish satinwood, an old bureau, was the Duchess' present for the new home. The drawing-rooms and dining-room of the new villa will be supplied with furniture left to the Queen by her late father, the King of Denmark.

SHOCKS AT PRUSSIA.

BERLIN, Sept. 1.—A dispatch from Ems, Prussia, says that an earthquake shock extending from south to north was felt at 2:15 yesterday morning. Three further shocks are reported to have occurred in the vicinity of Ems.

Pleasant Bath.

First-class Turkish and Hammam baths. Finest service on the coast; experienced attendants; also swimming tank for ladies and gentlemen. Take Piedmont car to Twenty-fourth street.



THE KING AT GOODWOOD: THE DUKE OF RICHMOND'S HOUSE PARTY AT GOODWOOD HOUSE.

KING ALFONSO IS EATING HOME GROWN VEGETABLES

(Special to THE TRIBUNE, W. R. Hearst service, over longest leased wire in the world.)

PARIS, Sept. 1.—The private table of King Alfonso of Spain is served with vegetables grown in the smoke of a Paris railroad line. It happened that when King Alfonso made his first visit to Paris he noticed from the window a small triangle between the signal-box and the line, every inch of which was made to grow lettuce, cabbage, onions, etc., which flourished exceedingly and, as he said, looked as if they were washed by hand between each smoke-vomiting express. He commented on the garden at President

Louhat's table, and the President said he, too, was interested and had learned that the two signalmen actually did sponge every leaf three a day. The King, in a burst of enthusiasm, paid a visit to the signalmen, and has since evidently talked the matter over with the Queen, for an order has come from Madrid that the two brave railroad porters pack every day a hamper of their best, to be hurled on board the Madrid express as it thunders by. King Alfonso has apparently influenced King Carlos of Portugal to sympathy for the same honest employes, for Lisbon is to have another daily hamper, and the signalmen have awakened to find themselves famous.

ENOCH ARDEN CASE HAS ENDED FATALLY

VIENNA, Sept. 1.—The story of Enoch Arden has happened again in Hungary. A few years ago Samuel Grun, finding it impossible to support his wife, emigrated to America, found no work at first and was obliged to pass his nights in disreputable localities. One night while asleep a thief robbed him of his clothes and passport. The thief went to Chicago in Grun's clothes, fell ill, was taken to a hospital and died there. Grun's passport was found upon him and no other doc-

uments, so he was buried under the name of Samuel Grun, and the Austro-Hungarian consulate was informed. In time news of Grun's death officially reached his wife; she mourned her husband awhile, but as she was young and comely married again on the 13th of this month. A stranger came to Zent Andras and asked where the woman Grun lived. He was directed to her home and found her alone. When she set eyes upon him she fainted; she had recognized her former husband at first glance. He had worked hard and saved enough money to return home. The woman, a pious Jewess, could not get over the terrible affair, and in the night she crept to a loft and hanged herself.

ACCIDENTS TO WAR-SHIPS

LONDON, Sept. 1.—British naval circles are seriously perturbed by the extent to which the navy has recently been weakened through accidents to important ships. In addition to the Montagu, which went ashore on Lundy Island during maneuvers and is now to be sold as old iron, at least four other first-class battleships and one armored cruiser are out of the effective list, and many minor vessels have also been damaged, bringing the total of ineffective ships up to 8 per cent of the whole, quite exclusive of those under repair for ordinary wear and tear.

What adds to the seriousness of this condition of affairs is the knowledge that the accidents, in almost every case were due to the neglect or incompetence of the officers, though they are admittedly some of the best men in the British navy. As showing this, the following story was told to the World correspondent by a high naval authority:

When the Montagu went aground a firm of well-known Liverpool salvage experts was engaged to get her off. They were fully confident of doing in a couple of days, but some time after they had started operations a highly placed officer of the Channel fleet arrived on the scene, countermanded the orders already given and took charge of the operations himself, though very little experienced in such work. The result was that the position of the vessel became steadily worse, until she finally had to be abandoned altogether.

This, however, is not the only instance of blundering connected with the loss of the Montagu, for the battleship Duncan, which went to her assistance, also ran aground. The authorities declared she merely touched, but it now turns out that she also was seriously injured and has had to be docked at Portsmouth for repairs.

The Yellow Fever Germ has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malarial germ. To free the system from disease germs the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malarial poison and constipation. Twenty-five cents, at Osgood Bros' drug stores, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets.

Taking Care of New Comers

Notwithstanding that many new cafes and hotels are opening up in Greater Oakland, the proprietor of the famous Arlington continues. Colonel Mayers, the successful proprietor of the Arlington, has made strenuous efforts to accommodate the new comers, and is highly appreciated by the patrons. The excellent cuisine of the Arlington Grill is proving popular. One of the most competent chefs that ever came to Oakland is now employed at the Arlington. This is conducted strictly by white labor now, Chinese help having been discarded. Many new improvements have been made at the Arlington of late and it now figures as Oakland's most popular and centrally located moderately priced hotel.

State Fair at Sacramento

August 23 will be Sacramento Valley and North Coast counties day; August 27, Los Angeles and Southern California day; August 28, San Jose and Central Coast counties day; August 29, Stockton, Fresno, San Joaquin Valley day; August 30, State of California Governor's day; August 31, San Francisco and Bay Counties day; September 1, Everybody's day. Reduced rates and special day features. For further information see Southern Pacific Company, 12 San Pablo avenue, Oakland, Cal.

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PARISIANS ARE JOYFUL OVER RADHA'S KICKING

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PARIS, Sept. 1.—A New York girl is bringing flaming color to the Paris streets and joy to the mocking small boys, frequenting fashionable places of amusement, race courses, the opera and chic cafes, attired in gorgeous Eastern garments with an abundance of Oriental jewelry. She is always escorted by a troupe of Hindoos, gallantly arrayed, who salaam before her as she steps in and out of her carriage and line up with Oriental solemnity behind her chair as she sits in state sipping iced water.

This lady is "Radha," otherwise Miss Ruth St. Denis, who originated Hindoo dances at Proctor's in New York. Her sumptuous equipment is a protest against a grave wrong that has been done to her. She came here from Lon-

don, where, as she tells the World correspondent, in the midst of an immense success the London agent for one of the big Paris music halls offered her an engagement. His rates, however, were too low, and he was sent trotting and Radha bound herself to another Paris manager for early fall. Now, on her arrival here, she finds the first hall has already staged the Radha dances, borrowing with her name all her ideas and costumes.

Miss Ruth cannot get redress because the manager who engaged her is away and she is hopelessly deficient in her knowledge of French. She foresaw the probability that he, on his return, might break the contract for her dances, which are already deflowered and had the idea of this display of Oriental pomp as a way of keeping herself in protest before the public in order that her appearance later might be even more sensational.

THIS EXHIBIT IS ATTRACTING ATTENTION

MILAN, Italy, Sept. 1.—Among the exhibits at the exposition here is a sumptuously bound, beautifully illustrated report of the work the Italian Benevolent Institute of New York has done in the last twenty-five years. It tells that the institute now owns three pieces of real estate in that city, bringing in an annual income of \$55,000, and has nearly \$7000 in bank. The society is planning to build a new hospital, a day nursery for children of working parents and a night school for adults. The exhibit has attracted much attention because of the flourishing financial condition of the society, which has already in hand more than \$100,000 for the new hospital.

MRS. MIZNER WON'T PAY VICTIM'S WIDOW

BERLIN, Sept. 1.—Mrs. C. T. Yerkes-Mizner is being publicly criticized for her refusal to recognize the verdict of the German court awarding \$800 damage to the widow of a man named Lesel, who was fatally injured by her motor-car at Rintheim in September, 1904. After the accident, when the man's injuries were thought to be slight, Mrs. Yerkes offered him \$15 as compensation. He died a week later, and his widow made a series of unsuccessful appeals to Mrs. Yerkes' generosity. The case was tried in February last, but Mrs. Yerkes refuses to recognize the verdict because it is not enforceable in the United States.

POLICE COURT HELD ON A SHADY ISLAND

PARIS, Sept. 1.—Parisian police court magistrates, unable to get away during the warm weather, have contrived a novel plan of combining work with the joys of country life. A trial was

NOVELTY IN BALL-ROOM

LUCERNE, Sept. 1.—Americans who have been making things lively here organized a big ball at the hotel with novel features, an example of which was the last figure of the cotillon. At a given signal the lights were lowered and through a balcony window an alrship two feet long of the last unhappy Santos Dumont model shot into the room on wires and broke open, letting fall a shower of roses to make a thick couch, on which fell a second delivery of queer favors.

An American, Miss R. L. Eaton, won the first prize in the international auto-boat race, organized by Louis Lombard, of Castle Sremano, which caused much interest in sporting circles.

Every evening the big hotel and restaurants are scenes of friendly dinner parties. Mrs. Milligan, of Portland, Me., before her departure for Paris with her niece, Miss Marion Webster, entertained a party of seven. Mrs. Benjamin N. Hooper, of New York, was among the other hostesses.

Among the auto arrivals are Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Clitwood, of New York; E. W. Shirk, Mr. and Mrs. Sand, of New York, who came from Interlaken. Mr. and Mrs. John Adams Thayer also arrived from the same resort via Grunig after a long Swiss tour. He has just taken a party of friends on an excursion to Aitdorf.

ASKED FOR YANKEE COLOR

AIX-LES-BAINS, Sept. 1.—Half-suffocated by a foreign atmosphere, Colonel Cilt exclaimed to his compatriots the other day:

"Let us have a little fresh, free air; let us decorate the town with the American colors."

The Yankee fete began with a luncheon at which all the dishes were home-made. Tiny Stars and Stripes floated by each plate; red, white and blue flowers decorated the table. All the women carried out the same color arrangement. The host wore a blue necktie and red carnations in the lapel of his coat. After the luncheon the party rode in automobiles to the Hotel de la Foyers, and in their cars were massed, in American extravagance, red, white and blue flowers.

held this week on the lawn of a shady island in the Seine. The presiding magistrate said:

"I assure you the lawyers pleaded at least as eloquently as if surrounded by the venerable walls of the courtroom instead of rippling waters and green clumps. The jury's verdict had no relationship with the notes of the thrushes, which accompanied them. I really don't see why this spontaneous, though slightly irregular, return to nature shouldn't become the legal custom of summer. Justice is more just when judges are cool."

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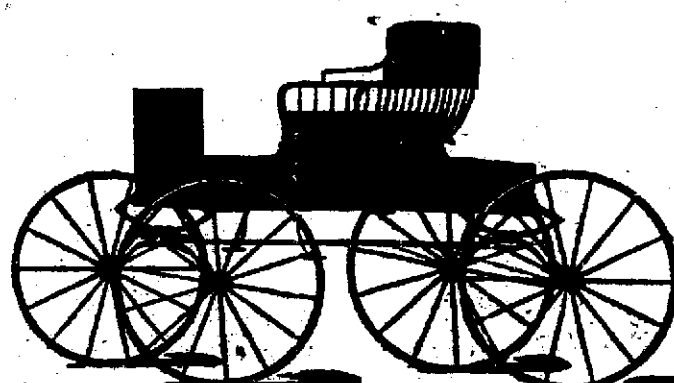
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CONVENTION TO OPEN TOMORROW

State League of Republican
Clubs Prepares Program
for That Day.

The following is the program for the convention of the State League of Republican Clubs, which is to open at Santa Cruz tomorrow:

Fiftieth anniversary celebration of the nomination for president and vice-president of the United States by the first national Republican convention at Philadelphia, June, 1856.

Monday, Sept. 3, 1906. First day, afternoon session—National airs, band; calling to order fifth biennial convention California State League of Republican Clubs by Fred K. Rule, president; invocation, Rev. Charles J. Anderson of Santa Cruz; welcome, Hon. T. W. Dunsford, mayor of Santa Cruz; selection, Berkeley quartette; greetings to Fremonters, Hon. J. W. Linde, secretary of Santa Cruz; response: president's biennial address, Fred K. Rule of Los Angeles; appointment of committees. Evening—Music, band; solo, Mrs. M. J. Gates of Santa Cruz; Our Nation, Hon. Lee C. Gates of Los Angeles; The Flag, Hon. T. B. Dozier of Shasta; song, "California" (words by Sam Booth), Santa Cruz Quartette, Mrs. M. J. Gates, Miss Anna Linde, Messrs. Ridge and Mosher; Our Santa, Hon. George C. Pardee; selection, Berkeley quartette; The Republican Party's Contribution in California to the Cause of Labor, Hon. W. V. Stafford; selection, "America," Santa Cruz and Berkeley Quartettes.

Tuesday, September 4, 1906—Second day, morning session: Report of committee on credentials; selection, band; "Rally Round the Flag," Santa Cruz Quartette; greetings to Veterans of the Mexican, Civil and Spanish-American Wars, Hon. Frank H. Short of Fresno; response, General C. A. Woodruff, U. S. A., retired, honorary member Associated Veterans of the Mexican War, veterans of the Civil and Spanish-American wars; selection, Berkeley Quartette; Our Heroes of the Past, Hon. Jackson C. Brune; In Memoriam, Hon. G. R. Lukens of Alameda; report of committee on resolutions. Afternoon session—Selection, Santa Cruz Quartette; prepared amendments to the constitution; election of officers; introduction of president-elect; general business; selection, Berkeley Quartette; "Auld Lang Syne," Santa Cruz and Berkeley Quartettes.

PORTUGUESE SOCIETY TO HOLD CONVENTION

The ladies of the Portuguese Protective Union of the State of California will hold their fifth annual session in this city, beginning today, September 2. This lodge was organized five years ago with a membership of nearly two thousand, with thirty councils in various parts of the State.

The committee presents the following program:

Today, a reception at Pythian hall, Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock sharp, grand dramatic entertainment at Germania hall, Seventh and Webster streets.

Tuesday evening, grand ball at Central hall, Twelfth street between Broadway and Franklin streets.

Wednesday evening, installation of grand officers at Pythian hall.

The committee in charge of the convention is composed of Mrs. M. Dias, president; Mrs. B. Pimental, secretary; Mrs. M. Nichols, Mrs. M. Soares, Mrs. D. Perry, Mrs. J. Pratus, Mrs. A. Fonseca, Mrs. C. Mello and Mrs. L. Simmons.

The grand officers are: Mrs. M. A. Flippo, grand president; Mrs. Belle Pimental, grand vice-president; Mrs. C. Mello, grand secretary; Mrs. C. Pereira, grand treasurer; Mrs. M. Perry, conductress; Mrs. M. Musiz, grand marshal; Mrs. L. Simmons, grand inside sentinel.

SERIOUSLY INJURED BY FALLING PLANK

A. Cavignoro, an Italian longshoreman, aged 53 years, residing at 1023 Filbert street, while helping to unload a lumber schooner on the water front last evening, was struck by a plank which fell from a siling of lumber, and he received serious injuries. Four of his ribs on the right side were fractured.

He was quickly removed to the Receiving hospital, where his injuries were attended by Dr. Rice. In the opinion of the physician, Cavignoro will survive unless complications ensue.

THIEVES TAKE \$185 FROM SALOON TILL

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The saloon of Nolan & Kelly was entered last night and \$185 in cash taken from a cigar box. The burglars effected an entrance through a side window.

RETURN FROM VALLEY.
Captain Hiram G. Morse has returned from Grass Valley and is residing at 2216 Buena Vista avenue, Alameda.

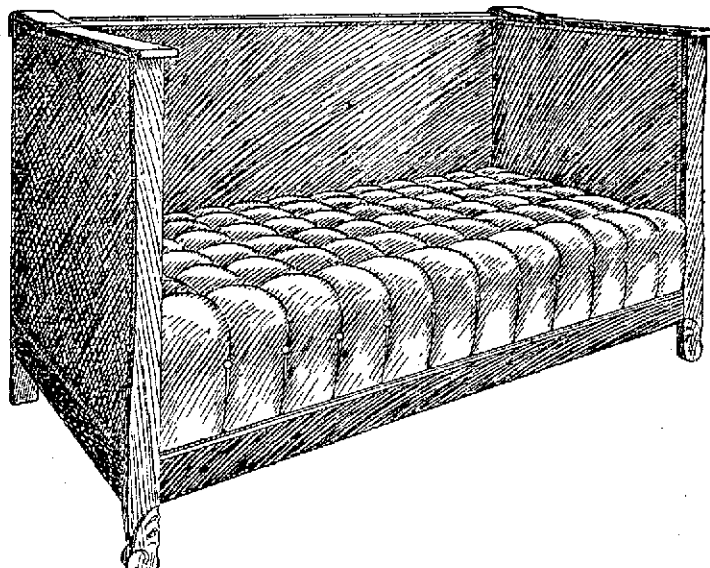
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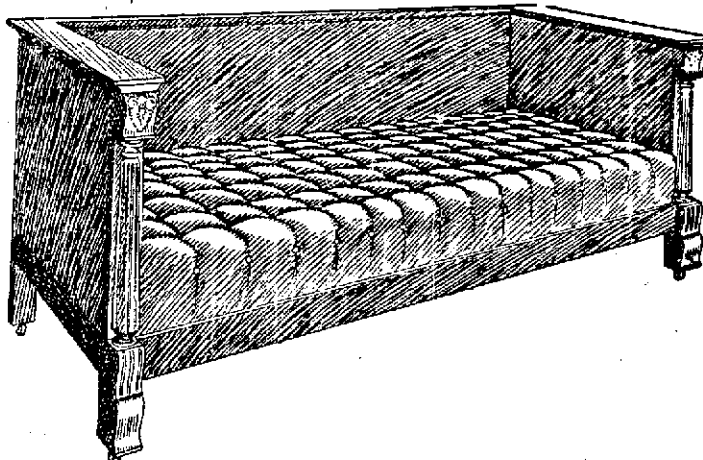
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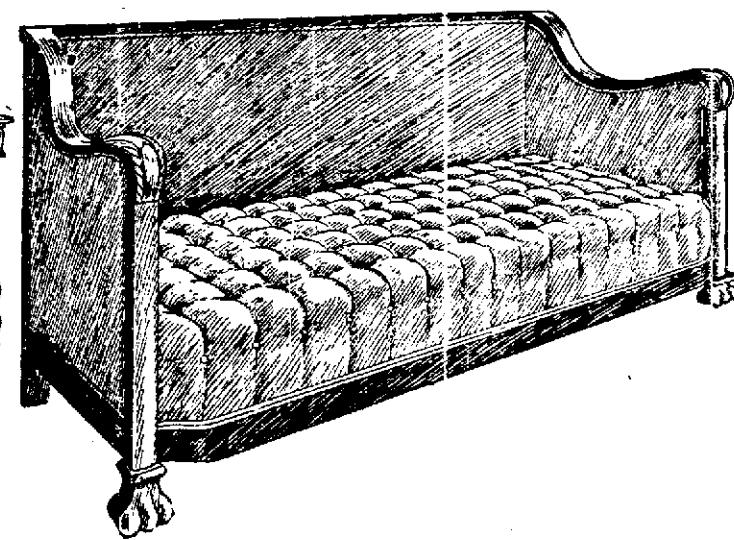
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Davenport like above comes in golden oak upholstered in extra quality of green figured velour or mahogany finished upholstered in same quality red figured velour. It is of massive size, measures 81 inches in length, 38 inches high at back. The tufted seat which is upholstered on steel frame measure 27 inches from back to front. Has fancy designed foot. The general appearance is plain, rich and elegant. Regular price \$42.00. Special this week \$31.50.



Special \$49.50

Pictured above is a davenport large in size, attractive in design and superior quality. The wood work is of seasoned northern birch, richly mahoganyized, the covering is brocaded velour in green. Note the fluted posts at each end. The gracefully designed legs, the size 81 inches in length. The deep seat is upholstered on springs, tufted and buttoned. It's a regular \$75 davenport, slightly soiled. Special this week for \$49.50.

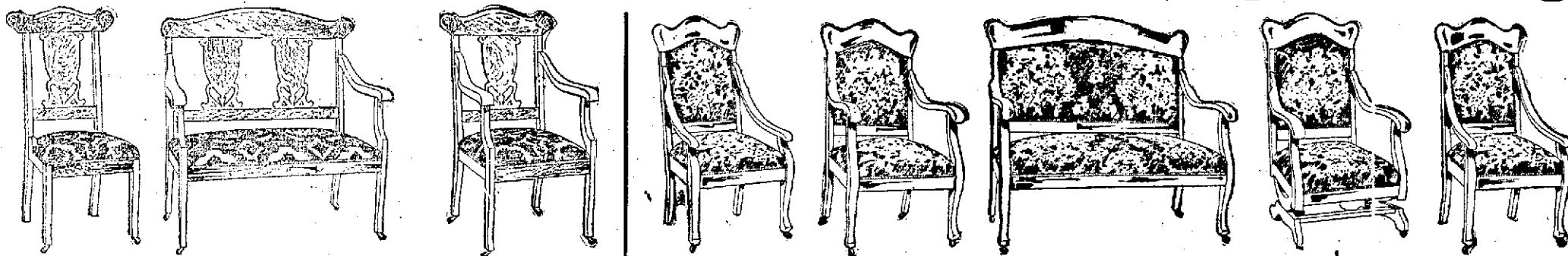


Special \$77.50

Take notice of the style of this Davenport. One of the best, made of solid mahogany, upholstered in high grade Panne plush in a beautiful green. Tufted seat on best steel springs. The high back, the graceful end arms, the richly designed claw feet all go to make this Davenport one of the handsomest in our entire stock. Regular price \$105.00. Special this week \$77.50.

Another Large Mahogany Davenport Handsome Parlor Sets at a Big Saving

Regular at \$160.00
Special at \$119.50



3-piece Parlor Suite, Special \$24.25

Yes, it's upholstered in good quality of green brocaded velour on steel frame springs. The back panels are graceful in design and the stock is select birch, finished mahogany. There was never a prettier little suite offered for \$32.00 than this one but special this week \$24.25.

5-piece Parlor Suite, Regular \$110, Special \$79.50

Enough furniture in one suite to furnish an entire parlor. Three chairs, a settee and don't overlook the platform rocker. This set is a rich one finished mahogany upholstered back and seat of high grade figured satin Damask. Every piece is furnished with easy running casters, only best steel springs are used in this set. A regular \$110.00 set, chance of a lifetime. Special this week \$79.50.

Upholstered Chairs and Rockers

Specially Priced For This Week

Regular \$9.50 Rocker.....	Special this week \$5.60
Regular \$15.00 Arm Chair.....	Special this week \$11.00
Regular \$12.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$8.40
Regular \$16.00 Rocker.....	Special this week \$10.50
Regular \$25.00 Rocker.....	Special this week \$16.75
Regular \$18.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$11.50
Regular \$26.50 Chair.....	Special this week \$17.50
Regular \$60.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$35.00

Store Closed All Day Monday

3-piece Parlor Suite \$49.50

Regular \$68.00—Special \$49.50
A pretty grained seasoned birch, richly mahoganyized, upholstered in figured Damask of high grade.



Broadway,
Next to Postoffice.

ELEGANT DIVANS

Priced Below Regular Cost This Week

Regular \$27.00 Divan.....	Special this week \$17.50
Regular \$35.00 Divan.....	Special this week \$23.75
Regular \$25.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$16.50
Regular \$30.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$22.00
Regular \$40.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$28.00
Regular \$30.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$19.75
Regular \$38.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$26.00
Regular \$30.00 Chair.....	Special this week \$19.00

Store Closed All Day Monday

INJURED BY FALL.

Ralph Martin, a plumber, residing at 1572 Railroad avenue, was injured last evening by falling from a building in the course of construction. He fractured two ribs. He was treated at the Receiving hospital and later removed to his home.

IN HANDS OF POLICE.

James Glenson was arrested at 1:30 o'clock this morning in the Oak-street park by Policeman Kieth and taken to the police station, it being supposed that he stole a bicycle which he had in his possession. Glenson is being detained by the police awaiting an investigation of the case.

DIVORCE COURTS

ARE KEPT BUSY

Judge T. W. Harris today granted a final decree of divorce to Samantha Estelle Dusenbury from her husband, Frank Elmer Dusenbury. The court awarded the custody of the six minor children to the plaintiff and also granted her the sum of \$30 a month as alimony.

Rate F. Aldredge has filed a suit for divorce from his wife, Flora Aldredge, on the grounds of desertion. The couple were married at White City, Kansas, in 1885. Defendant has not lived with plaintiff since 1902.

Caroline H. Seeley has brought suit for divorce against Carlton H. Seeley on the grounds of extreme cruelty. She asks for \$30 a month alimony and the custody of Madison Seeley, a minor child.

PERSONAL NOTES

FROM NEWARK

NEWARK, Sept. 1.—William Dugan intends going to San Jose soon and will probably make his home there with his daughter, Mrs. Louis Stogel.

Miss Kate Kirby of Oakland visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Wales, on Sunday last. The Kirby family is now domiciled in Oakland. Miss Mary Kirby has a fine position as stenographer in a business house in that city.

Mrs. E. T. Stevenson is making a prolonged visit at the home of her son, Louis Stevenson, in Oakland.

The big water tank on Thornton avenue has been removed some twelve feet from its former position, and the windmill is now mounted on a steel frame.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burt and son will drive from here to Oakland soon, and from thence make frequent trips for pleasure to different places in that vicinity. They contemplate for one outing a trip to Mt. Tamalpais. Their jaunt altogether will probably extend some two weeks.

The voters of Newark have now an opportunity of seeing and examining the new balloting machine. Mr. Snow placed one on the postoffice platform this week.

I. Stevenson has returned from a visit to friends in the east.

A letter was received this week from

Mr. Falkenburg, the former popular agent of the Fair estate here. Mr. Falkenburg is now in Brooklyn, New York.

SUIT CASE STOLEN.

Oscar Weller of 115 Telegraph avenue has reported to the police that Elmore White and Pearl Roberts entered his place and stole a suit case. He has sworn to warrants for the arrest of the couple.

METAL HOSE.

Before and after the fire and forever. Ask your dealer for Metal Gas Hose. No leaks. No odor.

U. S. Flexible Metallic Tubing Co., Corner Twelfth and Howard streets, San Francisco.

WANTED.

Pager apply at Bindery. TRIBUNE office, Eighth and Franklin.

BEGINNING TUESDAY

We will make some extra inducements in

Dry and Fancy Goods

We have just received a large and varied line direct from the factories—all fresh goods.

We will quote a few prices.

42-inch Mohairs, in black, cream and all colors; a very pretty line at.....	50c per yard
Some handsome shadowed checks, 40 inches wide.....	35c per yard
Latest fall shipments in Gray Goods, Novelties, and Dress goods; unique patterns.	
Ladies' black mercerized undershirts.....	\$1
Something new in ladies' muslin underwear and ladies' hosiery, in the latter in plain black or lace.....	25c per pair
Children's extra heavy school hose, the 20c kind for.....	12c per pair
Ready for use—Sheets and Pillow Cases, all sizes, various qualities.	
Damask, 55-inch, extra value.....	50c per yard
Underwear for women, men and children at less than usual figures; also a fine line of Blankets, Comforters and Bedspreads. A large variety of remnants at unheard of prices.	

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BLOOD POISON

is the worst disease on earth, yet the easiest to cure WHEN YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO. Many have pimples, spots on the skin, sores in the mouth, ulcers, falling hair, bone pain, catarrh, and don't know

it is BLOOD POISON. Send to DR. BROWN, 335 Arch St., Philadelphia, Penn., for BROWN'S BLOOD CURE \$2.00 per bottle; lasts one month. Sold by G.W. Drug Company, Oakland and San Francisco.

MESSANGER BOY WANTED WITH WHEEL. APPLY BUSINESS OFFICE. TRIBUNE.

DON MORRIS says:

he's not an oculist, but he can make men "look good" at

The Best Clothes Shop
1062 Washington St.

Street-Car Strike Is a National Affair.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 1.—The street car strike is the most serious labor trouble that San Francisco has experienced. Heretofore our strikes have been practically local. The present strike is only local technically. As a matter of fact it is a national affair.

The differences between capital and labor of the past have, as a rule, been confined absolutely to California. But in this instance, while the workmen are citizens of San Francisco, and their place of occupation here, the money powers behind the corporation are easterners and Europeans, and Mr. Patrick Calhoun is the first real big man that the local labor leaders have gone against in their battles for shorter hours and higher pay.

Calhoun is a man of remarkable personal magnetism and definite mental force and an extremely hard worker. He is the direct descendant of the late John C. Calhoun, whose wondrous eloquence pioneered the way for the war of rebellion, and enjoys the rare distinction of living up to his heritage.

In addition to the vast wealth which is at his command Calhoun commands social and political relations that put him into intimate touch with the national administration. He is the personal friend of Thomas Fortune Ryan, who, aside from Rockefeller, is the greatest individual money power on this side of the Atlantic. Incidentally Mr. Ryan has a faculty for owning legislators, both national and state. If necessary Mr. Calhoun will be able to concentrate these forces in his battle with the strikers.

The men, on the other hand, are not nearly so strong as if they had waited for the coming of Calhoun instead of striking when he was within nine hours of San Francisco. That ill-advised move has caused the strikers to lose many powerful sympathizers. The people who, under ordinary circumstances, would have been with them heart and soul, now openly declare that the men should have given Calhoun the twenty-four hours grace he requested. Had they done so, I am told, he would have granted them the \$3.00 a day wage schedule at once. He claims that it will be utterly impossible for him to grant the men an eight-hour day. As to the merits of the arguments for Calhoun and of the men, I don't care to pose as a judge, but, like every one else, on this side of the bay, I am in favor of the men getting \$3.00 a day. Any one who has ridden on the street cars since the fire can very well realize the up-hill work of the platform men. And for this lamentable state of affairs the United Railroads is to blame.

Richard Cornelius, the leader of the carmen, is a man of average intelligence. He is not in any sense of the term a match for either Calhoun or half a dozen of his agents. He also has political ambitions. I am told that he wants to succeed Schmitz as mayor. Some years ago an evening paper made a series of very bitter attacks upon Cornelius in which he was accused of using the union for personal aggrandizement.

At first he was an ardent friend of Mayor Schmitz; but of late, since Schmitz and Ruef refused to support Edward J. Livernash in his efforts to go back to congress, Cornelius has openly opposed the Schmitz administration.

There can be no question but the men were ill-advised in the present crisis. Before the strike everybody was with them. The cars were overcrowded; the service crippled and inadequate and the profits of the company abnormal.

The mild demand for \$3.00 a day met with unanimous approval. The request for eight hours was also popular. But now everybody figures the men might have waited and had a personal talk with Calhoun before striking. But they didn't, and public opinion switched.

I think Mr. Calhoun is making a very serious mistake in bringing Farley, the notorious strike-breaker, to the coast. The people of San Francisco are in no humor for men of the Farley type. The best they can do is to precipitate unnecessary violence.

Personally, Farley, I am told, is a man of unusual intelligence and reckless daring.

Physically Farley is, comparatively speaking, weak. He is extremely slender and suffers from consumption. His face is worn and haggard and his expression cadaverous. But his eyes are bright and clear and are a perfect index to his mentality.

Though physically in poor health his nerves are like steel. There is nothing he is afraid to tackle. On several occasions he has been left on the battle field of labor for dead. But he always came back with renewed vigor.

He is paid large sums of money for his work, which is at best not only unpleasant, but despicable. However, he likes it and the crew of men he carries with him about the country in his efforts to thwart the desire for better wages and a shorter workday of the union men, take the same general view of life as their leader.

He has about forty men on salary all the year round. These men are paid by the National Citizens' Alliance and the allied commercial interests that regard organized labor as their natural foe and legitimate prey. I think if Farley comes to San Francisco and takes an active part in the present trouble, his career may be brought to an inglorious close.

I regret to say that the action of the carmen in refusing to make concessions to the company has not met the approval of the other unions. I have heard a number of leaders say that the unions cannot expect their members to refrain from patronizing the cars when they are run on Tuesday. Cornelius is very unpopular with a large section of the laboring class and if he heard some of his associates talk I think he would at least be surprised.

Taking it all in all at the present writing I fear the affairs of the carmen have been woefully mismanaged. If outsiders in sympathy with organized labor and holding positions of influence in the community had been asked for advice and their advice heeded, the men would be back at work by now with their demanded wages granted and a good chance to have their hours cut down.

The determination of the union to strike against the Geary street and California street roads on Tuesday is another grave error. If these concerns refuse to grant the demanded hours and wages, the men ought to wait until they have a definite settlement with the United Railroads before striking. With the united roads in full action it would be a very easy matter to cripple the minor corporations.

I am glad to see that the honest element of the Labor party not under the control of professional politicians is beginning to assert itself in an effective manner. The action of the labor council Friday night in demanding the dismissal of Supervisor Lonergan from the council is a step in the right direction. He

was only able to retain his standing as a delegate to the council through the unfortunate influence of some of the mayor's appointees and because of the sympathy of a few of his fellow members who think his public humiliation would cause more harm than good to the cause.

Lonergan won out by three votes but he had to listen to an awful tongue lashing and is now well aware how he is despised by his associates. It probably took thirty steams to brace him up after the counting of the votes.

Here is a good story on Lonergan who, as a supervisor, is a member of the Health Committee which is responsible for the disgraceful condition of the city's sanitation. A few days ago a woman appeared before the Board of Supervisors to register a complaint about a stable behind her home. So violent is this barn that all sorts of sickness has been prevalent in the neighborhood.

"Supervisor Lonergan, do you believe the thing is as bad as the woman states?" queried one of the other supervisors.

"I don't," was Lonergan's answer.

"Mr. Lonergan," shouted the woman, "you know you are lying. I'll give you \$100 if you will come out there and sleep with me just one night."

"Not for \$200; I'm a married man," retorted Lonergan.

The great throng that the promoters predicted would go to Goldfield to see the Gans-Nelson go I am afraid will not materialize. The Southern Pacific people tell me they will not have more than twenty car loads of sports to cart from the mole to the ringside. The cause of this awful falling off is due to the feeling of uncertainty prevalent in sporting circles that the battle will not be on the square. For the past week the managers of the Goldfield Athletic club have been concentrating their energies in an endeavor to convince the world that the fight will be honest and that the best man must win. All of the correspondents on the scene of the coming row have been requested to do everything in their power to insist that both men are in earnest and that the fight will not only be a thorough exhibition of the Queensbury rules, but will be a grudge fight as well.

Now if the fight has not been fixed it ought to be one of the greatest ring events the world has known. It is hard to believe though, that a manager as shrewd as Nolan would let the Dane meet Gans on his merits, for the white man is not in the same class as the coon. In all of his battles Nelson has been hit whenever his adversaries cared to let go a blow. The trouble has been that none of the men he met had a punch. If they had Nelson would have been knocked out half a dozen times. I never saw a man hit oftener than Nelson was by Britt, but the young Native Son couldn't hit hard enough to hurt. But at that he had the Dane groggy several times during the battle and almost put him out in the fourteenth round.

Now Gans will not have to hit him as often as Britt did in order to make it a case of curtains. He is twice as clever as Britt and can hit hard enough from any range to knock out any man in the ring with the possible exception of Jeffries. So if he is in earnest it will be a bleak day for the Dane.

If the fight is on the square, I will feel much complimented, for the articles which I have contributed to these columns have been the text for debates over the fight throughout the country. Up in Goldfield they are still discussing and denouncing my first article. In fact they have gone so far as to announce the immediate demise of the author should he appear in Goldfield.

THE KNAVE.

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\$2500—6 rooms; lot 40x120; Davis st. No. 149
\$2500—8 rooms; lot 33x150; Capp st. No. 167
\$2600—5 rooms; lot 40x100; Ditcher st. No. 137
\$2600—5 rooms; lot 40x100; Prospect st. No. 190
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FOUND—Brown leather handbag containing purse and \$20 in gold, change and two wedding rings; cards in the name of Mrs. Gus Lundin. Finder please return to 527 Broadway, 7th and Adeline sts. Liberal reward.

FOUND—Four heifers and one cow, 148 Claremont ave.

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Figure 1

REVIVAL OF THE SPANISH MANTILLA

SCARF OF SPANISH LACE, DRAPED MANTILLA-WISE



The old Spanish mantilla is in fashion again as one of the direct results of the recent marriage of King Alfonso XIII to Princess Ena of Battenburg. Spanish lace was brought into favor previously through the announcement of the engagement and the elaborate preparations which were made for the wedding and the descriptions published of the bridal trousseau. And the high-carved comb—as Spanish as the mantilla itself—had been little by little winning its way into favor as a natural reaction from the low broad things popular so long. A bit of practice is necessary to learn all the possibilities of a mantilla. Draped from a high comb it is at its most thoroughly Spanish point, but a simpler draping, made dramatic by a scarlet rose, disposed with apparent carelessness, is as effective and less oddly conspicuous.

Black and white are equally good, but the black scarf is more nearly the mantilla of old Spain.

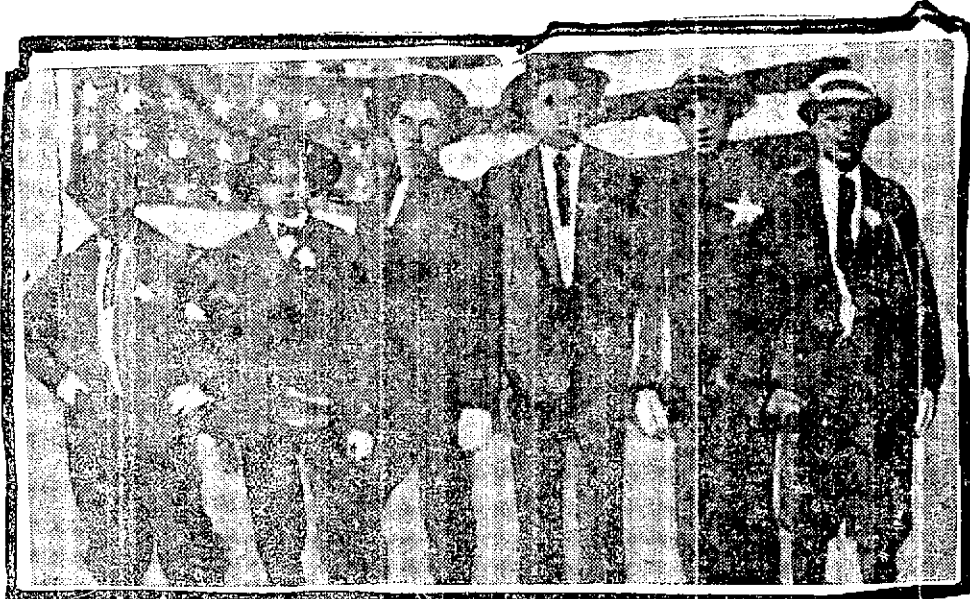
THE EFFECT OF A TIARA GOT BY THE HIGH COMB

A SQUARE LACE SHAWL AND ITS REACTION

NOVEL METHOD OF CONTROLLING THE MISCHIEVOUS BOYS OF A BIG CITY



Caught in the act.

Major G.H. Richmond,
Chief of Police at Council
Bluffs.Roundup of
Vigilante Corps and Pistols.

A Squad of Boy Policemen

"When you show a boy that you trust him and place upon his shoulders a sense of responsibility, you will rarely be deceived as to the result."

This remark was made by Chief Richmond of the police force of Council Bluffs, Iowa, who, as a result of careful study of the juvenile character, has been making some interesting experiments in preserving the peace through the agency of boy police.

As in other cities, the boys of Council Bluffs consider certain holidays all their own, and malicious mischief is often combined with vigorous enjoyment of the Fourth of July, Halloween, New Year's Day and other gala occasions. Not only are city ordinances broken, but serious accidents and destruction of property result as well.

Like the flash of an inspiration, a remedy suggested itself to the chief. Why not explain to the boys the need of moderation in sport, of regard for the law, place them upon their honor and enroll a number as temporary members of the police force?

This experiment was tried, says a contributor to the Philadelphia North American, on Fourth of July and gratifying success followed. Twenty-five boys wore the stars and legal authority of special policemen, and Council Bluffs never had a quieter or more orderly Fourth.

It is probable that Halloween night and New Year's Day will also see boy policemen proudly patrolling the streets, orderly themselves and maintaining order among their fellows.

Every boy in Council Bluffs is anxious to be designated by Chief Richmond for police duty when the next occasion for his services arrives.

The twenty-five who were pioneers in the experiment feel that they should be rewarded by a new assignment to authority, and it seems quite certain that they will demean themselves so that confidence in them shall not be shaken.

Asked to discourse on the motive that prompted his unique plan and on the results, Chief Richmond tilted back his chair and, looking at the ceiling, began to quote from Eugene Field:

"He is known the whole world over in every home as 'Our Boy,' and in spite of his deviltry, and in spite of the worry he occasions us, who is there among us who will not say 'Amen!' to the sentiment, 'God Bless Him.'"

A few days before the Fourth some four or five lads were brought to the station by an officer for violating the

city ordinances by discharging firecrackers on the public streets.

"It was then that the idea struck me: Why not show the lads that I had faith in them, and call upon them to assist in restraining other boys from violating the city ordinances?"

"Calling the boys into my private office, I explained my plan to them. I addressed them as if they were men, instead of mere lads."

"I told them that I would like to make special officers of them for the Fourth of July and the few days prior thereto. As evidence of their authority I told them I would provide them with stars, the insignia of the peace

officer.

"The boys fell in line with my plan without the slightest hesitation, and it was very evident that each one of them felt highly proud of the distinction which I proposed to confer upon him."

"They assured me that they would do all in their power to prevent violations of the city ordinances. Not only would they refrain from exploding firecrackers before the Fourth, but they would see to it to the best of their power that other boys in their neighborhoods did not."

"I instructed them that if they saw any one discharging firecrackers or other explosives on the streets before the Fourth of July to report the matter to the nearest policeman."

"That these instructions were stretched later so that the little fellows began to make arrests on their own account didn't matter, and really was a good thing, as it all turned out."

"The five boys originally sworn in and decorated with stars accepted their responsibilities gravely, and went about their duties with interest and pride. They patrolled the streets like old-timers, and brought in many youthful offenders, who, in turn, were recruited for the service, clothed with authority and equipped with stars, until the total number of boy policemen in Council Bluffs on the Fourth of July numbered twenty-five."

"By this time the remotest boy in the city had heard of it, and had a greater desire to obey the laws and to get on the police force than to toy with a pistol or shoot firecrackers."

"Only the next day after the appointment of the first lot, one of my special boy policemen marched into headquarters proudly displaying his star and having in custody a boy bigger, if anything, than himself."

"The young officer explained that his prisoner had been caught doing what I had said could not be done without violating the law. The prisoner apparently realized that he was 'up against it,' and seemed on the point of shedding tears, probably more from fear than from remorse, however."

"I talked with the lad, and explained how he had done wrong, and suggested that he join the boy police force. He was only too willing. When he left my office he was proudly wearing a star."

"In addition to the instruction I gave the boys, I impressed upon them that while in the service of the city and as long as they were permitted to wear the star—the insignia of authority—they must demean themselves as gentlemen; that they must keep their clothes, as well as themselves, clean, and above all things refrain from using profane or vulgar language or in any way acting in a manner unbecoming to an officer of the peace."

"With all honesty I can say that my boy police force was not only most efficient along all lines, but my expectations were more than realized. The Fourth of July this year was the quietest Council Bluffs has experienced in its history."

"There was neither accident nor violation of the law on that day, except by a few transients from the city across the Missouri river on their way to the lake resort near Council Bluffs, and these were of the most minor character."

Last Halloween, while he did not appoint boys to the police force, Chief Richmond decided to do without the usual twenty or thirty special officers on that night, and through the columns of the local press he let it be known that he intended to place the young folk of the city "on their honor."

He was willing that they should enjoy all the legitimate fun possible, believing they would, when thus trusted, avoid wanton mischief and destruction of other people's property."

"The result was most gratifying," said the chief, "and the number of complaints of destruction of or injury to property was extremely small."

"Get close to the boys." This is Chief Richmond's motto. "Trust them," he says, "appeal to their sprouting manhood, make them understand that you have faith in them, and then the problem of their control is, to a great

TWO FRENCH COSTUMES FOR SEPTEMBER



Brown cloth, showing new form of coat and peculiar treatment of skirt, with flounces of skirt set on with piped tucks, to give necessary slope. Piped bands of the material on double-breasted coat.

London blue lightweight cloth, with series of circular flounces on skirt from the knees down. Severely plain jacket buttoned with tabs, piped and stitched, closing over tie of blue satin.

extent, if not wholly, solved."

Chief Richmond is a soldier, having served for a number of years as a cavalry officer, and naturally reverts to the army for his simile.

"It is most difficult in the midst of a crisis, in the heat of an obscure struggle, and before the battle has been fought, to realize the respective situation of the adversary you have to contend with," said he, by way of illustration.

What is true in warfare is equally true of conditions which present themselves to the executive departments of a municipality, and none more so than to the police department.

"There are occasions when there is need for effort outside of the regular force of a city, to control and suppress what might be aptly termed the mischievous element."

"By this I mean the need of devising some plan for keeping within proper bounds exuberant youth on such occasions as the Fourth of July, with its national celebration, and Halloween, which has become the synonym for mischief and even vandalism."

"The youth of the United States has regarded as its inherent privilege the

right to celebrate on important holiday occasions, and every one is familiar with the forms in which this celebration has been carried out."

"It is only within the last few years that municipal authorities have attempted to place some restraint on the manner of celebrating with a view to lessen the number of casualties from the reckless use of dangerous explosives."

"One cannot be blind to the fact that not only the younger, but the adult members of any community in this country of ours oppose any restrictions that may be placed on the manner in which they shall be permitted to celebrate by the discharge of cannon firecrackers, dynamite caps and other noise-producing explosives."

"As is well known, the celebration of Independence Day is not confined to the Fourth of July, but for several days prior thereto both young and old seem imbued with the idea that they must display their patriotism by the continuous discharge of fireworks of every description."

"On Halloween night young folks are apt to be carried away by enthusiasm in mischievous pranks, and, more or

less, property is endangered, as well as an annoyance caused to older persons."

"What more practical idea is there than that of putting the young people on their honor, and of detaching some of them to keep in check the too ardent sportiveness of others?"

"The City of Council Bluffs a year or more ago passed an ordinance prohibiting the use of giant firecrackers, dynamite caps, revolvers, shotguns, etc., on holiday occasions."

"To enforce this ordinance meant, necessarily, some other means than by the ordinary police force. A year ago a number of special officers were enrolled for the Fourth of July. This not only proved costly, but unsatisfactory."

"This year we sought something that would return good results for a minimum outlay of labor and expense, and the bigger the result and more minute the outlay the better we would be pleased."

"By mere chance the idea of a boy police force suggested itself and was adopted with such success that I am inclined to believe, from the number of inquiries I have from all parts of the country, that the idea will be followed by many other cities in future."

The Vogue of Lace Boleros.

One of the most tempting phases of the lingerie craze is the long coat or jaunty bolero of sheer linen or lace.

Charming little ones are being made by women who buy batiste and fine muslin embroidery by the yard. Of course, this is very wide, the full width being required to make up the front and back. The sleeves hang gracefully from the shoulder in their full width, and extend to elbow or midway to the forearm.

Women who pick up bargains in lace remnants also find that these may be fashioned into cunning little boleros. All over lace with heavy lace edging is very good. Imitation baby Irish crochet for the body of the bolero with a heavy edge of imitation Irish crochet

in showy petal flowers. Guipure or Venetian are also employed as a finish.

Charming ones, too, and made from alternate bands of lace insertion and padded batiste embroidery. The boleros are made quite short, all of the girlish showing.

Pendants of crochet linen and silk are put along the front of these garments. Again crocheted, rings are used, through which silken scarfs are drawn. Silk muslin, washable chiffon and china silk are used for the lining of these dressy little wraps. They will wear longer and seem to withstand the soil better, when supported by a foundation, though it is merely a case of suiting the wearer's fancy.

Circular wraps that extend below the

hips are made of all-over lace mounted on taffeta and trimmed with bands and quiltings of the same. This is a style that is holding forth abroad.

THE LIFE OF BELLS.

Comparatively few people know that ringing a bell ruins it. That is, a bell has a definite length of life, and after so many blows will break. A 900 pound bell, struck blows of 1 1/2 foot pounds of force, broke after 11,000 blows. A 4000 pound bell broke after 18,000 blows of 350 foot pounds force. A steel composition bell weighing 1000 pounds broke after twenty-four blows of 150 foot pounds, but its maker said it was calculated for a lighter stroke.—Korea Daily News.

Entertaining King Edward is Expensive.

Nothing Short of A Syndicate of
Millionaires
Properly, and
the Duchess of
Manchester is at
the Head of It.



CONSUELO, DUCHESS OF MANCHESTER

Contrary to the earlier reports that King Edward would pass Cowes week as the guest of the Duchess of Manchester at Egypt House, his majesty, after a few days as the guest of the Duke of Richmond, spent most of his time on board the royal yacht Victoria. Now the curious ones are speculating as to the cause of this. It may be that the so-called royal syndicate failed this year to provide the necessary funds which heretofore have been advanced as an aid to the duchess in her lavish entertainment of the King.

For it is no inexpensive matter, this entertainment of the British King, says the Tribune. Should a duchess entertain herself, she would be expected to do so at a cost of a fortune. With his majesty himself invited the pick of all the titled and untitled to meet him in the free and easy intercourse of a house party. The house itself, which she hired last season, is almost a palace, the rent of which amounts into the thousands.

What, then, did the duchess do last year when she entertained the King? Nobody but an American girl would ever have thought of the scheme or had the tact and diplomacy to carry it out without exciting comment. Her idea was none other than to form an unincorporated syndicate, which has since come to be known as the "Royal Syndicate." Today it is a mark of distinction not to be allowed to join this, for it presupposes a most intimate relationship with the King.

The members are none other than those invited to join this house party, presided over by the charming American, and they simply chip in and help pay the bills. Among those said to be members are Sir Ernest Cassell, Sir Thomas Lipton, some members of the Rothschild family, A. J. Drexel and several wealthy Americans. Each one contributes a share of the expense, and so everything goes off merrily.

SOCIAL INSURANCE SCHEME.

It must seem a bit inhospitable to some, thus to levy upon the guests, but, as a matter of fact, it has now become a settled custom, with the friends of the duchess at any rate. Everybody knows that after a life of sorrow with her husband, nobly borne, she was not left with much of a fortune, as fortunes go.

But she had gained during her long residence in England what was better—a lasting friendship with the King, which has only been strengthened by the passing years. Through this, she assumed a position of almost official leader of English society, and as such has made a success. But it would have been impossible to have done the necessary entertaining without more means than she possesses, even with the several millions left by her father, and so it was to offset this embarrassment that some of her wealthy friends contrived the Royal Syndicate.

It was all done very quietly, so very quietly in fact that its existence is scarcely more than a rumor, although well founded. After all, it is nothing but a fair exchange. There is not another woman in England who makes so charming or so diplomatic a hostess. Her position is, in a way, as important as that of any diplomat in the realm. Those who know the inside stories of politics realize that as many coups d'état have been accomplished over a

dinner table as in the high councils of the government.

An ostensible week-end party of a single dinner may have concealed many a sharp bit of diplomacy in reconciling two bitter enemies or been the starting point of some question of international scope. So it is that such gatherings as this to be given at Egypt House may be more than mere pleasure parties.

But however that may be, it is no simple matter merely to conduct such an affair with skill. It requires the intimate knowledge that comes with years, the knowledge of all the many little pitfalls that must necessarily be present at such a large gathering. It is no sinecure for the hostess, even if she does not have to pay the bills.

DUCHESS AN AMERICAN GIRL.

The Dowager Duchess of Manchester was one of the very first American women of wealth to marry into the English nobility. Her maiden name was Consuelo Yznaga, and she was the daughter of Senor Antonio Yznaga de Valle of Ravenswood (Louisiana), New York and Cuba. She married her husband when he was Viscount Manchester.

For a few years after her marriage she lived in New York, but came to England as soon as he acquired his title of Duke of Manchester. From the first her married life was unhappy. The duke acquired the reputation of being one of the most dissolute men in London, and was continually figuring in sensational episodes in the papers. Time and time again she considered securing a divorce, but was dissuaded by the wish of the royal family to avoid airing the details of the duke's misbehaviors in court.

By thus making a martyr of herself, as she undoubtedly did by continuing to live with the man, she won warm favor with Queen Victoria. But luck-

ily, in the course of time, the duke died and left her free with three beautiful children, to whom she was devoted; also, almost penniless, for he had spent his own small income and most of the fortune which had been hers.

Even her children, as it turned out, brought her little but unhappiness. Her only son developed into a spendthrift, and followed in the footsteps of his father. The two girls, twins, inherited all their mother's beautiful traits, but one of them—the Lady Alice—died suddenly in Rome, and the other, Lady Alice, also turned out to be weak and sickly, dying a few years ago of consumption.

THE KING'S FRIEND IN NEED.

Her favor with King Edward developed, so the story goes, when the latter was Prince of Wales. On one of the many occasions, when in those days the prince was in urgent need of funds to escape the consequences of some Hal-like act, he went to the duchess and told her of his predicament. She raised within twelve hours \$25,000 for him, and so saved him from an embarrassing predicament.

He never forgot the kindness, and from that time on has been her firm friend. As in all matters of this kind,

Englishmen are still speculating on just how much influence she really has. In many of the petty little society quarrels which are always coming up, he has time and time again sided with her, much to the consternation of others of the nobility. But the best proof that he looks upon her as one of his best friends, is the number of her dinners which he attends.

Of the many different entertainments that the duchess gives for the King's benefit, perhaps the most notable are her "dinner-bridge" parties. His majesty always has enjoyed dining with the duchess, who made a point of having a French chef years before this became a regular custom in aristocratic households.

Since he came to the throne the King has shown a preference for small dinner parties not numbering more than a dozen persons, and — one, with the possible exception of his friend Sir Ernest Cassell, arranges such functions as much to his majesty's taste as the Dowager Duchess of Manchester.

BRIDGE WHIST GUESTS.

The guests invariably include the Marquis de Soveral, the King's great chum, who is asked everywhere to meet him; Lord and Lady Howe and

Mrs. George Keppel. These dinners are always a miracle of cooking, and bridge follows almost immediately after the gentlemen have finished their cigars. The King's partner is invariably Mrs. George Keppel.

She and the King are inveterate "no trumps," and declare thus on the slightest provocation. Mrs. Keppel has brought her playing to a really fine art, and never forgets a card that is out. The hostess seldom joins in the game, for which she doesn't care overmuch, but as a rule sits by the table at which the King is playing and looks on.

Heretofore these parties have taken place at the duchess' town house in Portman square, of which she has not yet succeeded in disposing, but in future they will be held at the luxurious residence in Grosvenor square, which her grace has just rented from the Duke of Westminster.

It is quite the most striking house in the square—which is, of course, the most fashionable one in London—being distinguished by its bright reddish color and its bricks picked out with white. Consuelo's neighbors include Earl Fitzwilliam and the Duke of Portland, who have the houses on either side; J. Pierpont Morgan Jr., the Duke of Somerset and the Italian Amba-

sador. The place belongs to that Scottish per-sonage, Farquharson, of Invercauld. To have secured the castle is still another social triumph for the American dowager duchess, for, besides adjoining Balmoral, the royal residence in Scotland, it is the scene of the annual highland games, which occur during the grouse season, and at which the chief members of the royal family are always present.

The duchess' small hall, painted in deep cream color and gold, leads through square-paned glass doors to an inner hall, and this into the dining-room, a spacious apartment, also done in white, which runs through to the back, overlooking a small garden. Some beautiful paintings adorn the walls, and the whole suite of reception rooms is of the period of Louis XVI, while the furniture is French of the same period.

One room is fitted up exclusively for bridge, while one on the ground floor is reserved for the King when he dines. Here he can be received before dinner, thus avoiding the necessity of going upstairs, an exertion the King dislikes.

NOTABLE FUNCTIONS.

The recent "house warming" given by the duchess in Grosvenor square was a brilliant affair, the rooms being masses of poppies in yellow and orange, white and rose red, while the dining-room tables, with the heavy silver plate, were decorated with the same flowers. Melba sang after dinner. The duchess herself looked remarkably handsome, and wore a magnificent diamond crown and a necklace with one enormous emerald pendant from the center.

At White Lodge, Richmond Park, the duchess has given several highly successful dinners, at most of which Edward VII has been present, and on several Sunday afternoons the King and Queen have motored out together to take tea with their American friend.

The place was in an indifferent state when vacated by the Tecks, but has been fitted up luxuriously by Mrs. Hartmann, who has completely refurnished it, reserving only a few pictures and bric-a-brac of historic interest, which she paid for dearly to the present Princess of Wales and her brothers. The feature of "White Lodge," however, is its gardens, which it takes a small army of workmen to keep in proper order.

Braemar castle, the Duchess of Manchester's home for the month of September, she has taken from Princess Alexis Dolgorouki—whose town house in Upper Grosvenor street was leased last year to Mrs. Frank MacLay—but

the place belongs to that Scottish per-sonage, Farquharson, of Invercauld. To have secured the castle is still another social triumph for the American dowager duchess, for, besides adjoining Balmoral, the royal residence in Scotland, it is the scene of the annual highland games, which occur during the grouse season, and at which the chief members of the royal family are always present.

The King is not exactly artistic, but he knows ingenious effects when he sees them, and one of the first things that struck him in the duchess' establishment was the exquisite flowers with which she decorated her rooms, the American peeress having introduced the extremely elaborate floral decorations which are now generally in vogue in London. She had towers and plants everywhere—bowers of them, fireplaces full of them; stairs blocked with them.

So, year after year, she has won her successes, and by a good many is called the most-to-be-envied woman in London. Perhaps she is, but there have been years in her life that other women would not have had the courage to live through, even for such honors as she has now won.

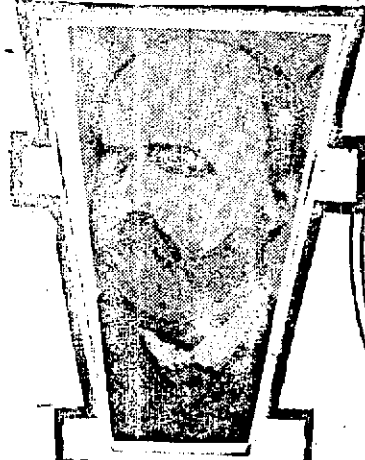
And the "Royal Syndicate" is eager and anxious to assist so charming a hostess in the matter of mere dollars. It would not need the aid of a promoter to dispose of stock in that syndicate, even though the pecuniary returns are small.

SAFETY MATCHES WILL STRIKE ON GLASS.

He looked at his cigarette bitterly. "Here I have a lot of safety matches," he said, "and no box. They only strike on the box you know. So I guess I won't smoke."

But the young college girl, smiling, took the safety match from him and drew it across the window pane. It struck easily, and as she held it to his cigarette, she said:

"Safety matches will always strike on glass. The reason is that, glass being smooth, the match can be drawn across it quickly enough to set up the necessary friction. To draw it as quickly across any other substance would break its head off."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

HON. MRS. GEO. KEPPEL
THE KING'S PARTNER IN BRIDGECOUNTESS
HOWEEARL
HOWESIR
THOS.
LIPTON

A. J. DREXEL



SIR ERNEST CASSELL



THE MARQUIS DE SOVERAL

What Women Will Suffer For Beauty's Sake.



Notwithstanding all the horror women have of the operating chair, thousands of them annually submit to ordeals which would cause a man to draw back in fear, and all for the sake of enhancing their good looks. For the eradication of wrinkles, for the correction of an eyebrow, a nose, an ear, they will calmly submit to operations or wear bandages or face masks for weeks.

"I have known of women," said one man familiar with this ever growing business, "who suffered unflinchingly a long process for the correction of a nose, but later on refused to submit to an operation far less painful which would have saved her life."

One firm alone treated during a single year 40,000 cases. Of these, says the Boston Herald, a small percentage were women who came in to have black eyes treated or the scalp massaged, but the great majority of the patients were women who sought to improve their appearance. It might be that they wished an eyebrow to be curved, wrinkles to be removed or merely what is called "a freshening up of the complexion."

Whatever their wants, they never asked, "Does it hurt?" but only "Can it be done?" or, possibly, "How much does it cost?" This question determined upon they gave themselves into the hands of the operator and unflinchingly endured their self imposed martyrdom. Facial irritations caused by burning acids, the electric needle, unsightly bandages worn for weeks, even the glittering surgeon's knife, all lose their terrors for these women in the single hope that they may in the end look younger or more beautiful.

Paris is undoubtedly the center for this class of work. It has come to be a proverb among French women that "to be beautiful one must suffer." Although beauty plays a large share in the success in life of all women, to the light hearted pleasure loving Parisienne it is life itself. A slight conformity of feature would cause a French girl to be almost an exile among her friends. So they cheerfully submit to operations from which, perhaps, the average American woman would shrink.

DESIRE TO BE BEAUTIFUL.

But it is only necessary to watch the long stream of girls and women who daily visit these places in Boston to realize that there is much of the

universal in this desire of women to be beautiful. There is no age when it ceases to be a vital point in their lives. Women of seventy hobble up the stairs and interview the doctor as to the possibility of having their wrinkles ironed out, or of having their poor faded complexions revived, while at their heels come girls of eighteen or twenty anxious to have a lip or nostril corrected.

Of course there is much of this work that comes within the scope of the practicing surgeon. For instance, there is no reason at all why a woman should be disfigured by a hare-lip. It is corrected daily in our hospitals. Today it is a crime to allow a child to grow to maturity with this disfigurement, for a harmless and effective operation corrects the misfortune. The same can be said of deformities of the nose and many of the same class.

But your facial doctor stops at nothing. He will remodel your face to suit your own conceptions of beauty. An upper lip which, according to the notion of the owner, protrudes overmuch, will be brought down; the full of the cheeks can be so changed that you would scarcely recognize your friends afterward; an eyebrow will be arched so that it might serve as a model for an artist; ears are flattened against the head; the shape of the mouth is changed; wrinkles are removed; the complexion is enameled. In brief, the operator molds the human face much as the potter does his clay.

So far as possible these processes are completed without pain. Cocaine is a great aid to this type of surgeon, and it is used freely. But, after all is said, it is never a pleasant proceeding. For instance, one operation for the removal of the horizontal wrinkles on the brow is as follows, the object being to tighten the skin: A transverse line, three inches long and half an inch wide is shaved clean of hair on the patient's skull, about an inch above the forehead. A hyperdermic injection of cocaine is then administered under the skin. This is a local anesthetic and causes this region to be insensible to pain. A cut with a lancet is then made along the transverse line and the skin of the forehead is drawn up. It is drawn tighter and tighter, until all the wrinkles have disappeared, and at the place where the cut is made there is a surplus of perhaps an inch of skin. The wound is then sewn up and the surplus cut away with scissors. The hair soon grows again over the scar, and behold the forehead of a young woman of twenty, with never a sign to show how it was done.

This is, to be sure, a simple operation as such things go, but there is many a woman who would go into hysterics if it were suggested to her from any other motive than to secure a smooth forehead. She would need the encouragement of the whole family to be induced to have a small abscess lanced there.

ARTIFICIAL NOSES.

The making of artificial noses is one

of the most common demands. Some claim to be able, by the injection of a secret lotion, to revive the tissues whose wasting has caused the deformity, but the more common method is to build up the nose with a paraffine preparation.

The paraffine is mixed with isinglass to keep it from melting in hot weather, and, after the usual cocaine is administered, is slowly forced with a hyperdermic syringe beneath the skin of the nose. As the nose fills out and the paraffine begins to harden, the operator moulds it into shape as he would so much moist clay. The whole operation does not consume much over an hour, and when the woman steps from her chair and excitedly looks at herself in the mirror handed her by the operator she would never know herself. So far as can be seen she has a normal nose. Her face, once unsightly, has in sixty minutes become like that of any one of her neighbors.

The removal of smallpox pittings or of freckles is not so short or so painless an operation as this. The face is first antiseptically cleaned. A lotion, varying with different firms, but generally containing carbolic acid or glacial acetic acid, is then applied. It is thoroughly rubbed into the skin, and the whole face is then covered with a white rubber mask. The patient is then sent home to rest. In the course of the night this lotion begins to take effect, burning and blistering the skin.

When she appears the next day her face is red and raw. A second lotion is then applied, and the face covered with strips of court plaster to prevent the skin from contracting. These strips of court plaster must remain in place for some twelve days, and during this time the patient is, naturally, in retirement.

The suppurating or irritation goes on until the old skin is entirely destroyed.

Exercises that Lengthen the Waist.

SIMPLE PHYSICAL OPERATIONS WHICH PRODUCE THE DESIRED RESULTS



But—go in training, holding yourself just so, going through the few simple exercises pictured on this page, and—laugh in your turn. You've got the effect of a longer waist, and that is practically accomplishing the apparently impossible.

First of all, learn to stand—and to walk—well, straightening out the curves of your back and "standing tall." This one point makes a world of difference in the length from shoulder to waist.

Any simple exercises which bring the hands above the head tend to make

you stand better and to hold yourself well poised, instead of sinking down lazily into your clothes. And as the length of your waist increases its size decreases—you've drawn the superfluous flesh up and away from the waist.

In such exercises as consist of swinging from hanging rings, or parallel bars, in hand-walking, the great point to remember is that there must be no sudden jerks, no feeling of strain, either, they are best left undone. Try, instead of springing up and catching the rings—always attended with a little jar—standing upon a box and swinging off easily without a suspicion of jar.

Another good exercise is walking with a weight on your head, and resisting the weight as you walk, raising your neck and shoulders and the

upper part of your body to meet the unaccustomed strain. Or let the weight take the form of a high vase—anything that is tall—and stretch your arms straight above your head, holding on to the tip of the vase to steady it. The same effect will be accomplished as when you hang from bars or swing from rings. And it requires no paraphernalia!

Vary the exercise by raising slowly upon your tiptoes, keeping your arms high above your head and steady against the vase; and when you've got used to the curious balance walk around the room or tiptoe.

Stand against a jutting corner of the room, with your back directly against the corner. Then stretch your neck, trying to make it straighten so that it will touch the wall all along. Of course, you can't do it, but the attempt will lift shoulders and chest—and that is what you want.

Breathing exercises help, as does that exercise by which you raise your hands above your head and then bend, trying to touch the floor with your finger tips.

And—a good corset helps, if it fits so that it seems almost part of you, and not a thing full of uncomfortable curves and more uncomfortable straight lines which seem built for any one in the world but you. The way it helps is to help you to stand well, for that is at the root of the whole thing.

looking in the glass in the morning, discovers she is pale and sallow, she no longer worries. After she has dressed, had her breakfast and completed all her other business for the early part of the day, she calls her carriage and goes down town. There are a number of places where she can go, but wherever she decides upon she enters looking like a wilted flower and emerges with all the bloom of a sixteen year old country girl. And there is neither powder nor rouge upon her face.

This electrical massage has come to take the place of these things. The effect of this treatment is to enlarge the blood vessels in the cheeks. Not abnormally, but just enough to bring out the color and smooth away all roughness and hollowness. A treatment will last about twelve hours, plenty long enough for an evening. When she rises the next morning there is the same old sallowness, to be sure, but the treatment can be repeated as often as necessary. It is said not to do any harm, but rather by improving the circulation to be of actual benefit.

For those who are beyond the point where this simple process is of advantage there still remains another—that of enameling the face. This is a long and somewhat difficult process, and not particularly beneficial. It produces, however, its temporary result, and she who enters the parlors an old woman comes out as though she had drunk of the fountain of youth, forty years younger. In enameling, a slight layer of a certain colored substance is carefully moulded into the face, filling up all the wrinkles. The wearer of this mask has to be more or less careful, for heat will spoil the result. It further has the effect of somewhat stiffening the features, so she must be careful to do no more than smile or it will crack.

As a matter of fact it is not a de-

velopment of the present day, this willingness to suffer for beauty's sake. As far back as history goes examples can be found of women who in the privacy of their rooms have subjected themselves to all forms of torture for the sake of improving their appearance in public. They willingly run the risk of injuring their constitutions for the sake of a temporary result.

At the time when it was the fashion to have a white, waxen complexion women freely ate of arsenic, which produced this result, at the cost of life in the end. The peasants of the Austrian Alps were in the habit of le-ginning at the age of eighteen to take small doses of this drug. Trinitite of bismuth was also used. The tale is told of one woman, who, after using this, made the mistake of entering the Harrogate bath of sulphurous water. She came out as black as any Ethiopian.

Among the most dangerous of practices were the devices used by the belles of the old world for giving expression to the eye. The most reckless of them were wont to place a drop of that deadly poison, prussic acid, in the bottom of a wineglass and hold it for two or three seconds against the eye. They even rubbed the deadly drug atop the brow, as it was supposed to impart clearness and brilliancy, expand the pupil and impart a fascinating fullness and mellowness to the eye. Now beladonna has taken the place of the more dangerous poisons.

As today, nothing was too painful or too disagreeable to the women of old if assured it would increase their charm. The most offensive of plasters were applied to the face over night. Margaret of Navarre, Queen of Henry IV, used to wear a mask much like those used today, which caused her husband to exclaim impatiently one night:

"Madame, you look so much like the devil himself in that confounded mask that you put me to the trouble of crossing myself every time I wake up and see you."

But the art of actually altering features is modern.

DICTATES THAT
GRAY SHALL BE
THE DOMINANT COLOR
AND SILK THE FAVORITE
MATERIAL THIS
AUTUMN



There is another alternative, however, which may be regarded as a possibility for the people of the Netherlands should their Queen continue childless. Queen Wilhelmina married Prince Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin February 7, 1901. They have, therefore, been married five years and have eight months. According to the original constitution of the Netherlands, given in 1815, there is a clause which states that if the Queen should die, her remains of 1845 and 1857. According to this clause, a King or Queen of the Netherlands may divorce the spouse and for a new matrimonial alliance if after five years from the date of the marriage no male or female heir to the throne be born.

PRETTY STENOGRAPHERS

CAPTURE MILLIONAIRES



MRS. RUTHERFORD
H. TOWNER

It may be that the more spectacular chorus girl gets the publicity. But it is the quiet little girl in the black dress and the white turned-over collar and cuffs, employed as his stenographer, who seems to be capturing the millionaire. And, let it be recorded in passing, says the New York World, that whereas millionaires and chorus girls get divorced in a year or two, it is yet to be noted where a man who has married his stenographer after months or maybe years of daily association with her in the office has become tired of her as the mistress of his home, or she tired of him.



AUGUSTINE
MEADOR

ALEXANDER
R. PEACOCK



MRS.
AUGUSTINE
MEADOR



MRS.
F. E.
TALCOTT



MRS. GEO. V. SMITH

Talcott, of No. 7 West Fifty-seventh street, New York City, neighbor of the Vancerbills, Whitneys, Oelrichses and others of the world of fashion, and daughter-in-law of James Talcott, the multi-millionaire drygoods merchant.

It wasn't an elopement. Mr. Talcott Sr. very frankly admitted that he did not want anybody to think that he was ashamed of his son's marrying a girl who had to work for her living.

"Both of them," said Mr. Talcott, "have my full and free approval of their marriage."

Young Mr. Talcott holds a responsible position today in his father's mills. The best proof possible that his marriage with a stenographer did not hurt him in a business way is that he has been promoted.

Turn now to the case of Augustin Meador, who married Miss Helen Van Nimwegen, daughter of a Paterson baker, employed by him as a stenographer. Now she is Mrs. Augustin Meador, of Mobile, Ala., head of the house of one of the proudest families in that State. Because she was a stenographer up in Jersey never hurt her social position down south in the slightest.

Pittsburg society has been upset many times by chorus girls. But they never caused so much gossip as did its favorite clergyman, the Rev. Dr. William L. McEwan, pastor of the Third Presbyterian church, when he married Eleanor Fulton Colvin. She was his stenographer. Not even a member of his church, where Mrs. William Thaw worshipped, was asked. It was in his study that Harry Kendall Thaw and Evelyn Nesbitt were married. Today Mrs. McEwan is one of the social leaders of Pittsburg, though once a parson's secretary.

Why is it, then, that the stenographer, no matter how modest her position before, is at once accepted by society?

MARRIAGE A MATTER OF COURSE.

Why is it that marrying her employer is looked upon as quite a matter of course for the stenographer?

Statistics give the answer. The real helpmate of the busy man who has no time for society is his stenographer. While he has been making his millions she has been making herself indispensable.

The stenographer has been marrying her employer in far greater ratio than chorus girls have been capturing the callow youth.

And why not? The woman secretary represents the stable, satisfying, long-working, personally interested assistant to the busy man. She may, therefore, soon appear as his natural affinity. Once she makes him her husband her heart is in the business a thousand times more.

As Frank H. Bailey, vice-president of the Title Guarantee & Trust Company of Brooklyn, He married Miss Marie Louise Lambert, his stenographer for ten years. He is forty years old and she twenty-five. And there isn't a happier couple in Brooklyn today.

When Miss Katrina Shaw just turned twenty-two, stenographer in the office of the People's Security Company, No. 277 Broadway, was introduced to George F. Smith, in charge of the department, neither knew that they were smiling upon them. Now they are married. Mrs. Smith is no longer a Broadway stenographer, but the queen of a house, and some day shares in the fortune which ex-senator George B. Smith is to leave to his son.

Countless other cases could be mentioned where men of affairs have married the young girls who have saved them their typewriters for them. Many of them have refused to leave the office just because they have married their employers.

which he is chief attorney. Nobody guessed, however, that the girl whom he addressed so formally as Miss Bronleben had really won his heart.

And there is great rejoicing today in a modest little room at No. 223 West Broadway over a rag-picker's shop, where Mrs. Ports and her husband, who made the announcement, still live. Ports is a waiter in a West street restaurant, but for all that Mrs. Ports is now sister-in-law to one of the proudest families of New England.

"We are a family," she said, "that has been so long and that she has married a man who has been with her from the beginning and who she loves and who she will stand by to the end."

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She is tall, handsome, with dark hair, regular features, clear skin and a complexion of roses and cream—a tall, strapping and athletic.

That the alliance will be a most successful one there are countless proofs. Go back only a few days to the springtime and you will learn of the marriage of Jerome Alexandre, heir to a million, not to his own stenographer, because he isn't old enough to have one, but to his stenographer's stenographer and office manager. She was Miss Violet Adelaide Oakley. It was an elopement, and the family were very sorry for it, because they would have much rather welcomed the bride at a conventional wedding ceremony. Everybody liked the girl, especially her employer, young Alexandre's stepfather, Mr. Berner. His summing up of the affair is as follows:

"Miss Oakley was a tall girl of clear complexion and dark brown hair, very attractive in feature and manners. Jerome entered Princeton last fall as a freshman. When he was home for the Christmas holidays, he first met Miss Oakley in my office and got to talking with her. A few weeks ago he gave up his studies at Princeton and entered my office—just playing around trying to look like working. He got to taking Miss Oakley out to lunch and now we are prepared to welcome Mrs. Alexandre."

CHOICE OF MILLIONAIRE —WHITING.

The Whitening-Groves wedding was something along these lines. Samuel Raymond Whitening, son of ex-Congressman William Whitening, millionaire paper manufacturer of Holyoke, Mass., and Miss Gertrude L. Greig, long time his stenographer, were married quietly last February without much formal ceremony. Mr. Whitening didn't lose any taste with his father for marrying his stenographer. He is now secretary of the company and some day will control it. Mrs. Whitening, however, has enough to do in attending to the management of his home and doesn't go to the office.

Charles Lee, a millionaire manufacturer of Concord, N. Y., has a stenographer bride. She was Miss Mabel E. Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Brown, of Syracuse. Mrs. Lee has longer visits the office where she was Miss Brown, typewriter, but she is one of the leading social lights of Syracuse, thanks to her husband's position and her own tact and cleverness. No society leader turned her nose up at receiving Mrs. Lee.

There is a family in New York proud to own an office girl as an heiress to its millions. She was once Miss Ada Brierly, who worked in New Britain, Conn., from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. She is now, if you please, Mrs. Francis Edgar

what can expect from her? They marry.

Is there any reason why they should not be happy? If she knew him to be a vulgar, domineering, foolish, dissipated, in the office, can't she conjure him up to be something like it in the home? If he knew her to be a frivolous, gossiping, empty-headed, unprincipled, in the office, would he ask her to assume charge of his establishment?

LATEST STENOGRAPHER BRIDE.

And so the marriages of millionaires with stenographers go on without a single slip-up. And the most recent one—that of Rutherford H. Towner—is the last to set the business world a talking.

Of course it came with something of a shock to society. The news was sum-

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Everett Ports have the honor to announce the marriage of their sister, Miss Helene Bronleben.

Mr. Rutherford Hamilton Towner.

"Who are Mr. and Mrs. Ports?" asked some of Mr. Towner's friends. "Who is Miss Helene Bronleben?" A lot of Mr. Towner's bachelor acquaintances insisted that the whole thing was a joke. Upon inquiry they found that the ceremony had been performed privately by the Rev. John D. Peters, at St. Michael's church, Amsterdam avenue at West Ninety-ninth street. A little more questioning developed the fact that Miss Bronleben had been Mr. Towner's stenographer for more than five years, in the offices of the American Surety Company, for

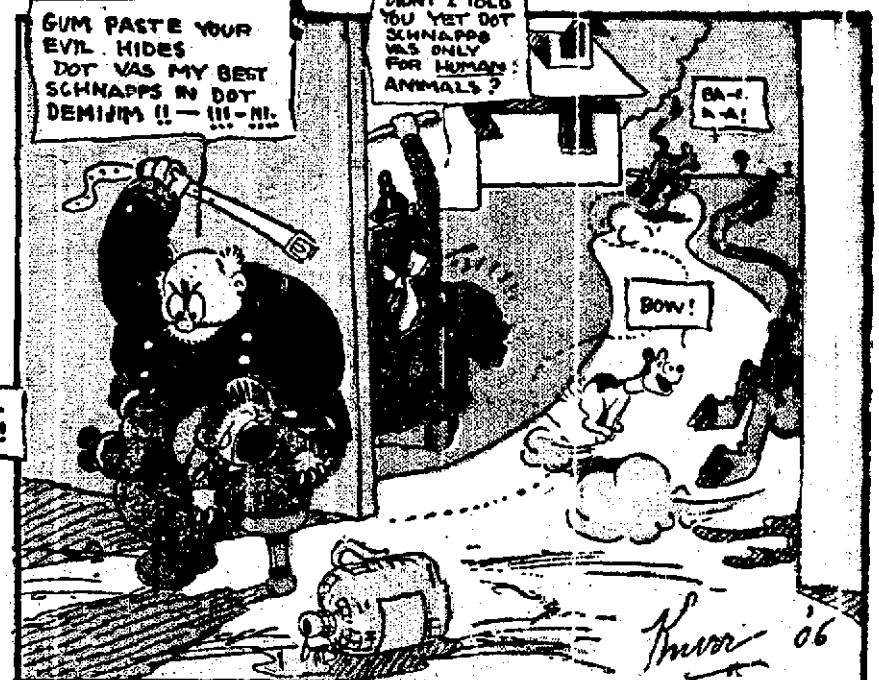
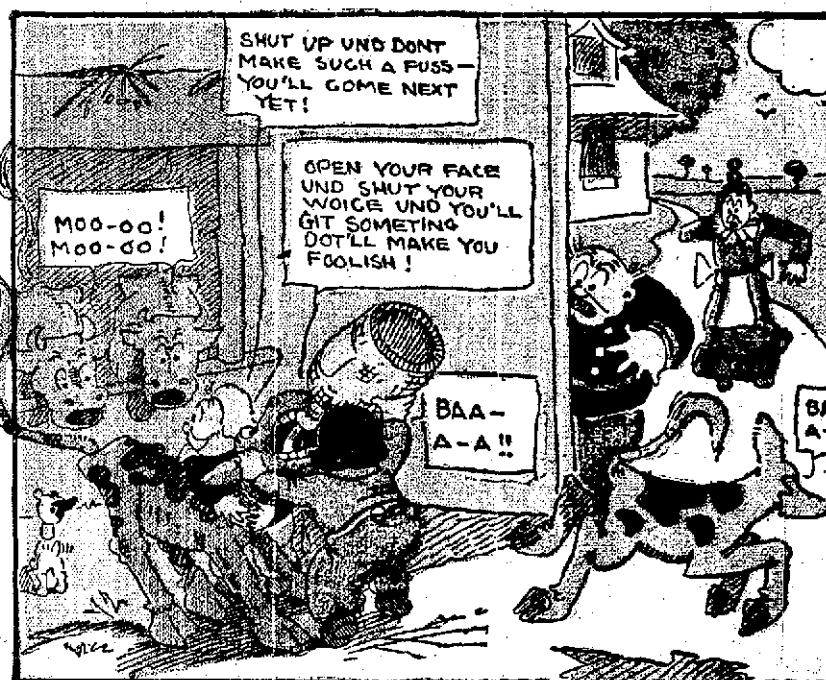
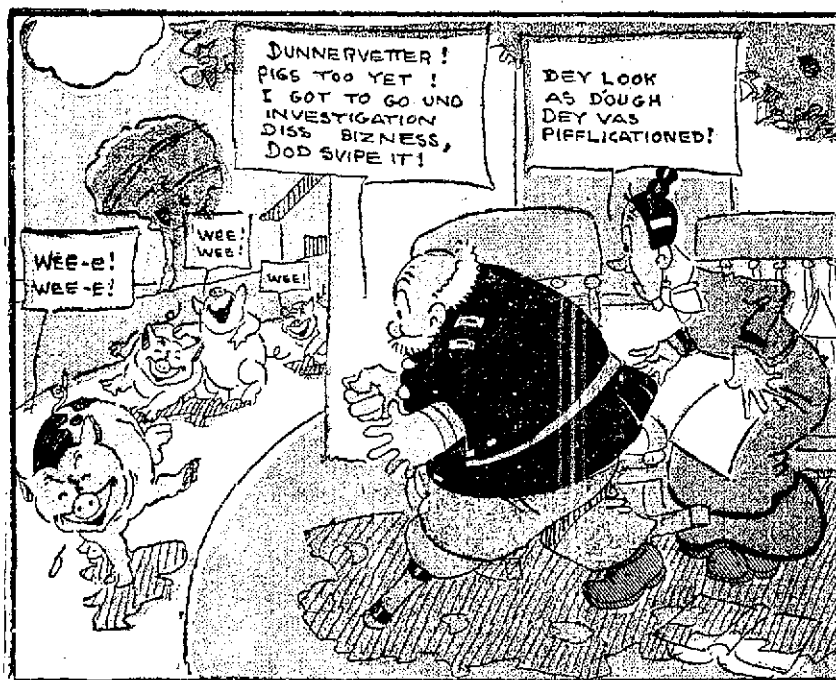
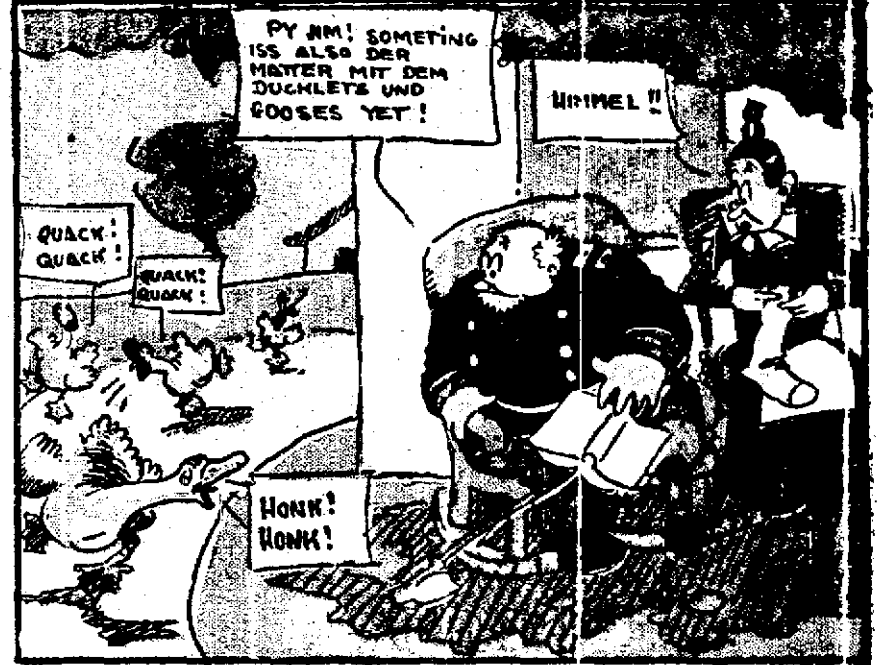
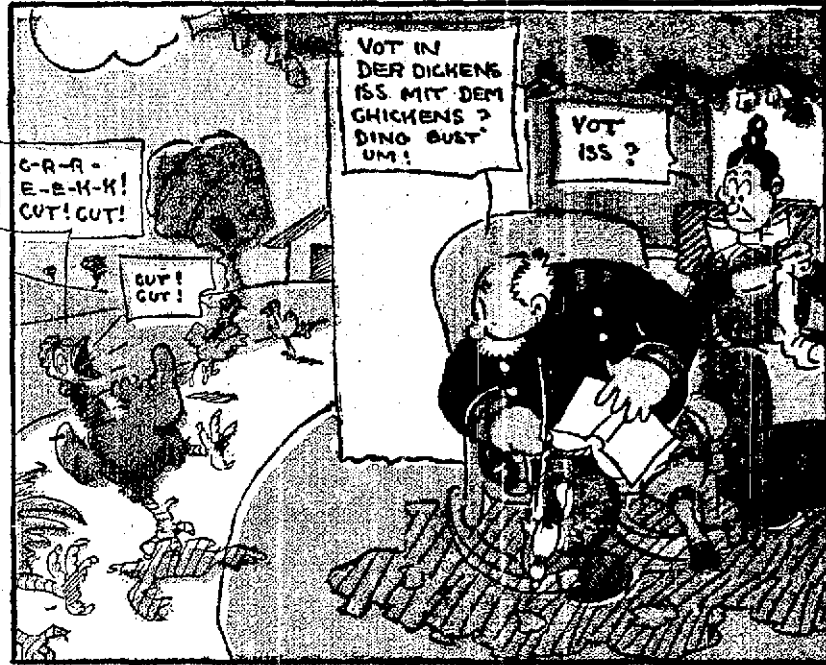
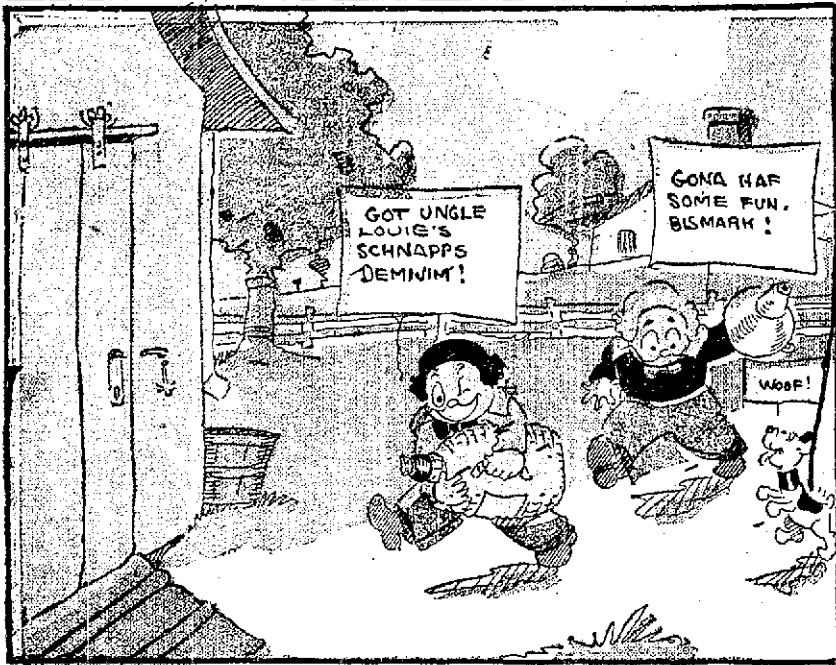
And any of a score of very rich men, and his former stenographer has yet to have married their hand steady before the courts of the land. In the past year or so—say 1905—there are dissatisfied in the circle they have made.

"No!" will be the answer in unison after pretty well. She knows all his habits and his failings; he knows

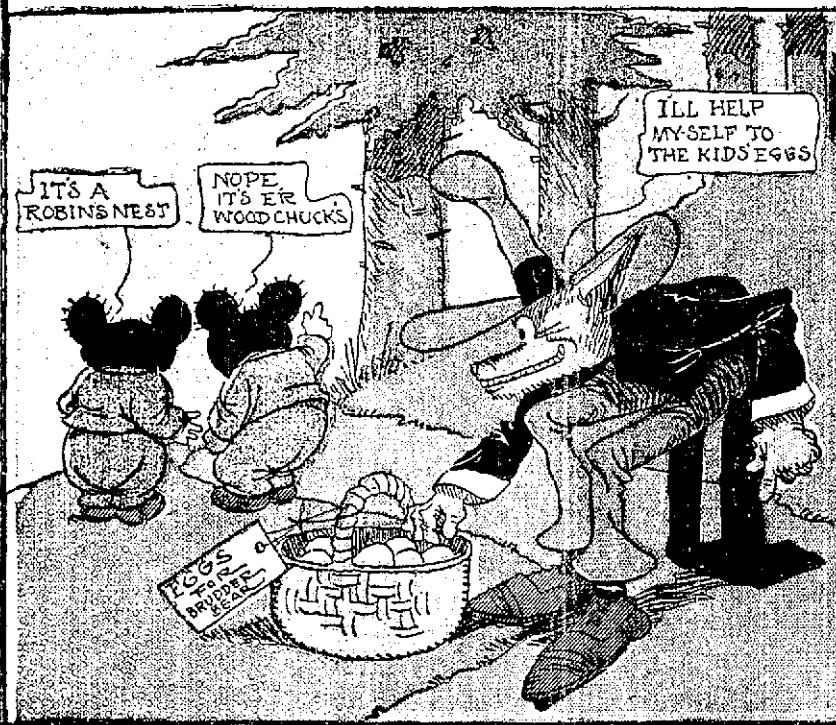
The divorce between the millionaire

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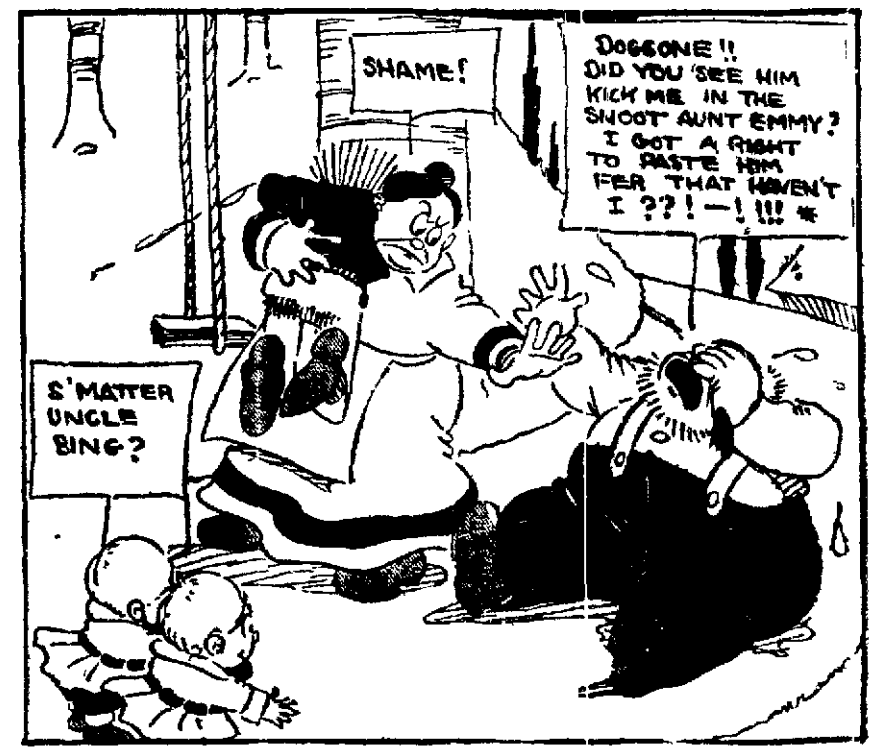
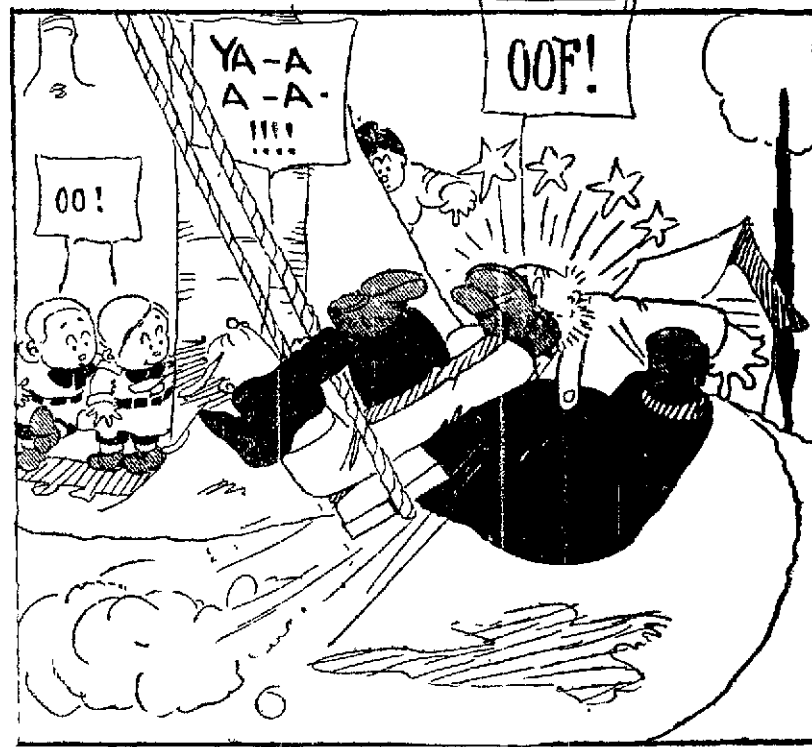
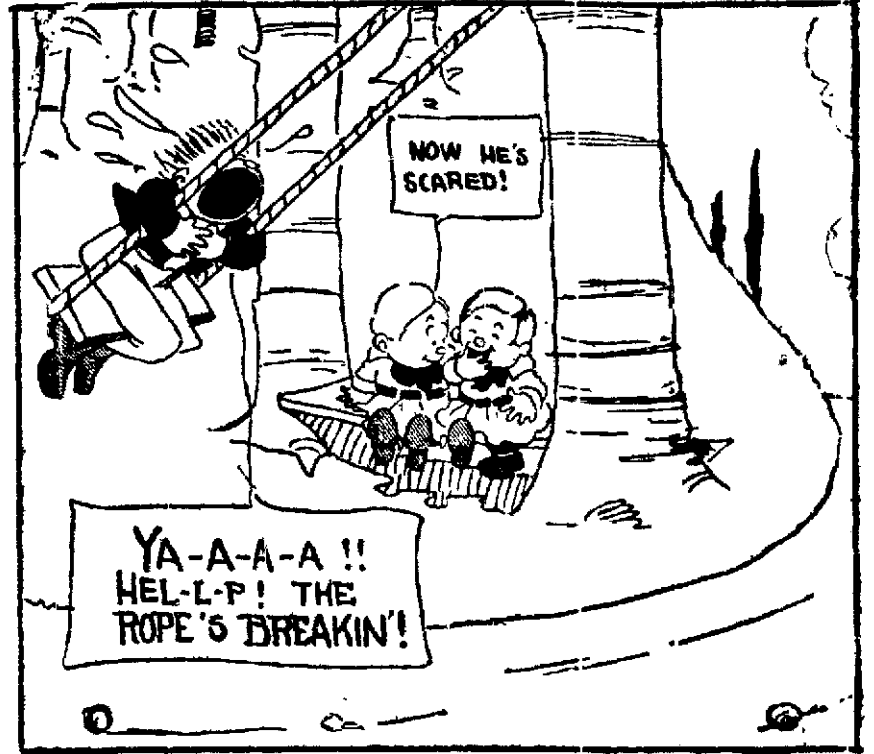
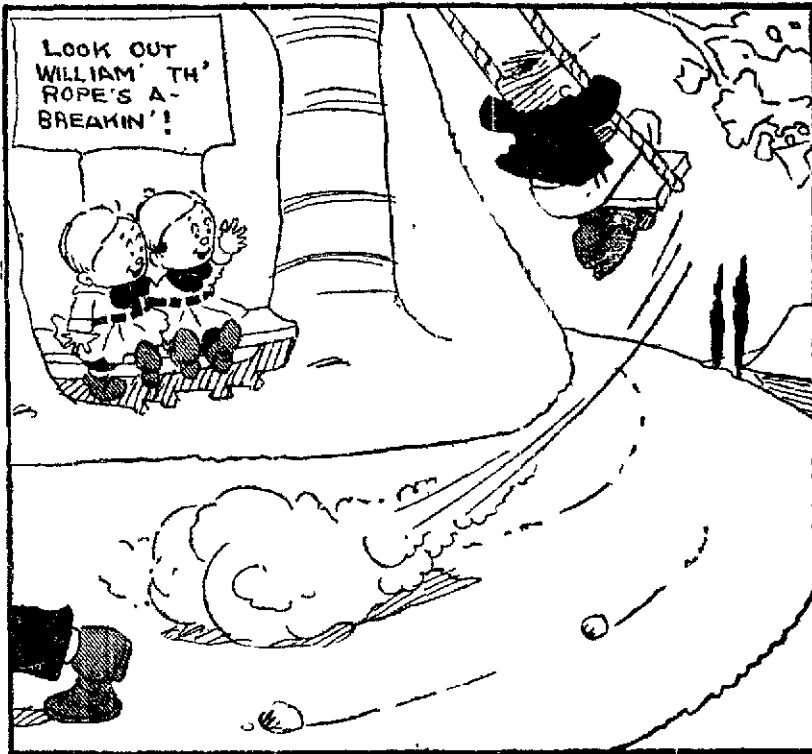
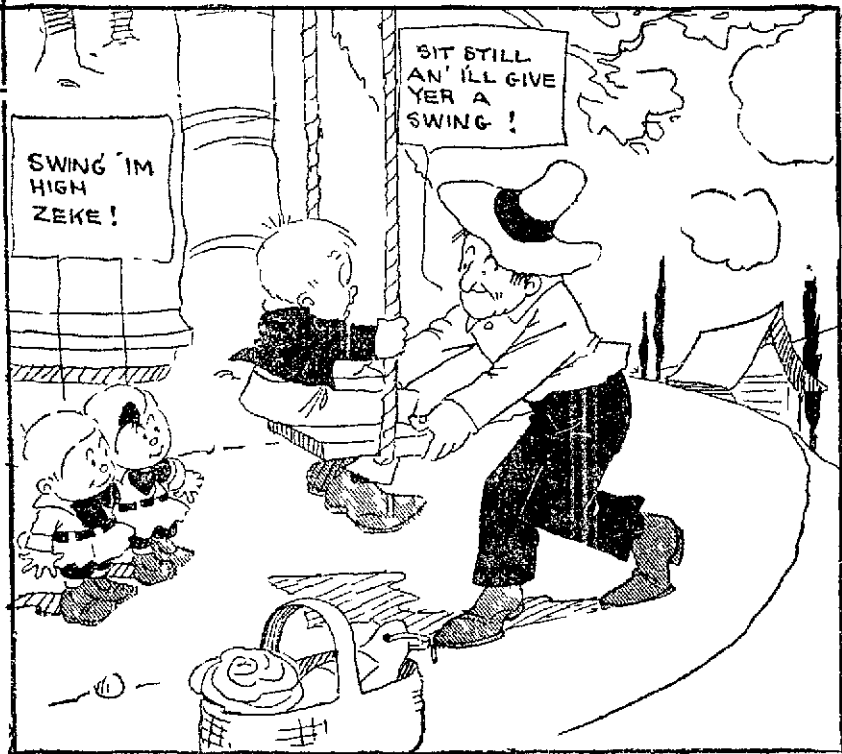
THE TWINS SWIPE UNCLE LOUIE'S DEMIJIM AGAIN, DING BUST 'UM!



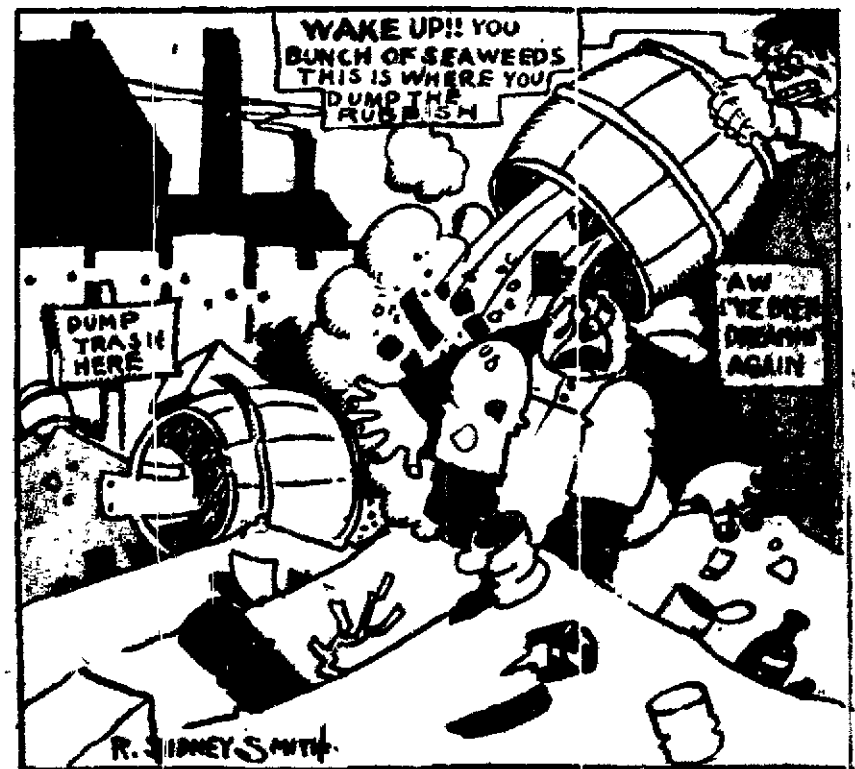
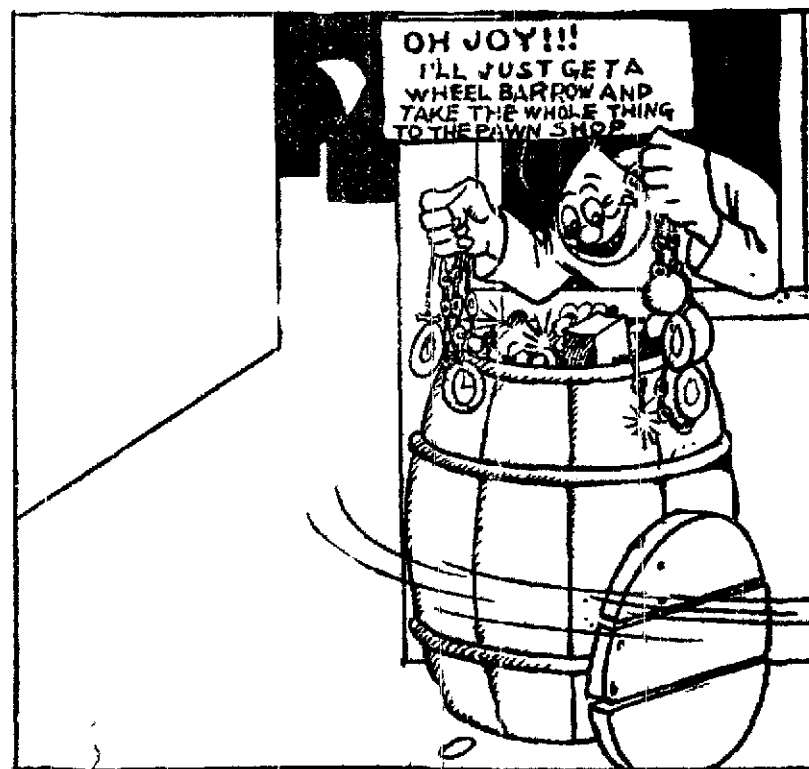
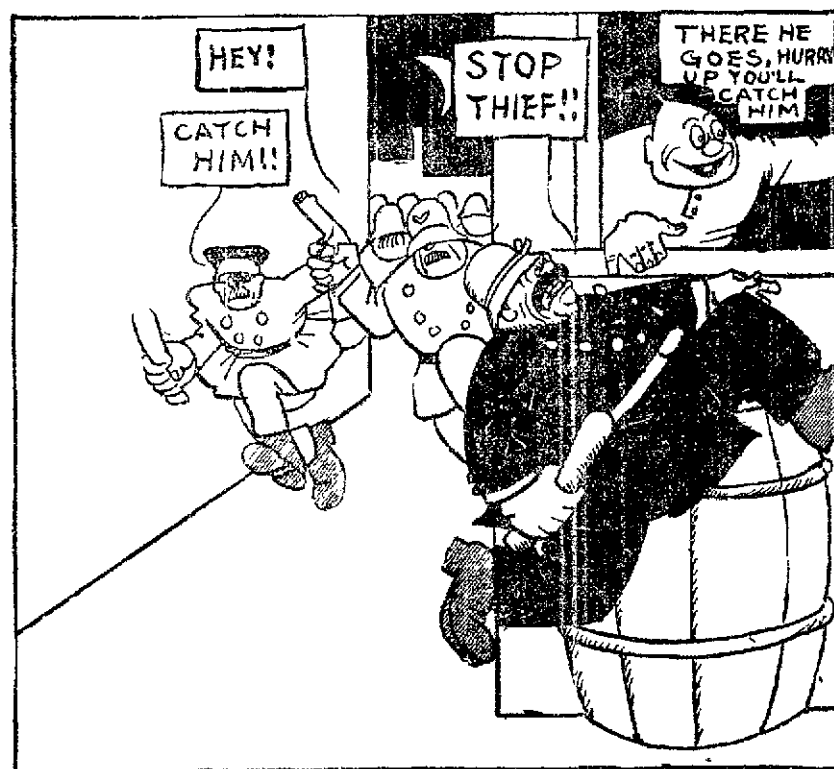
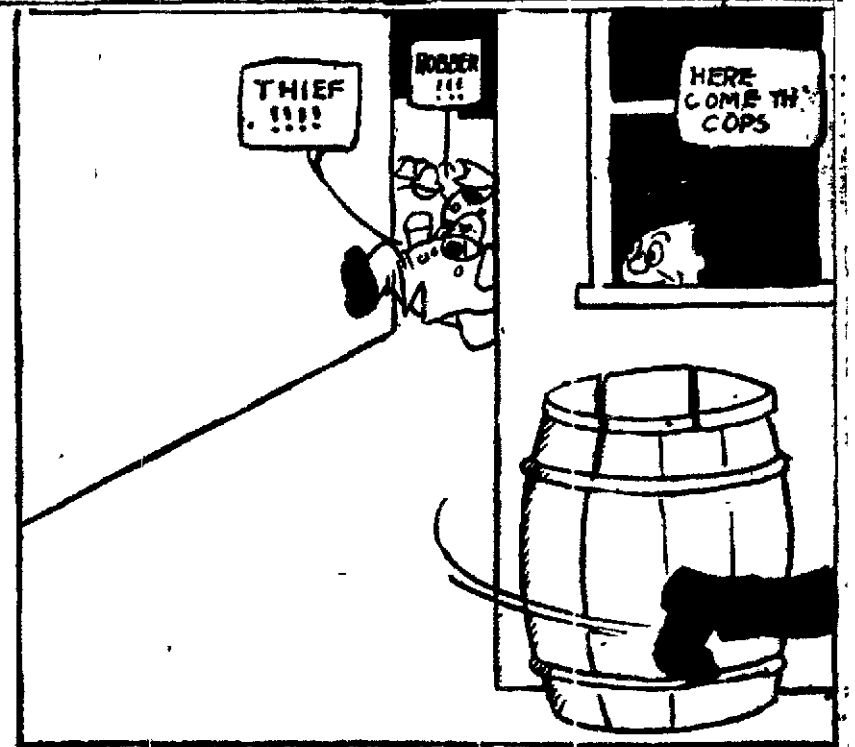
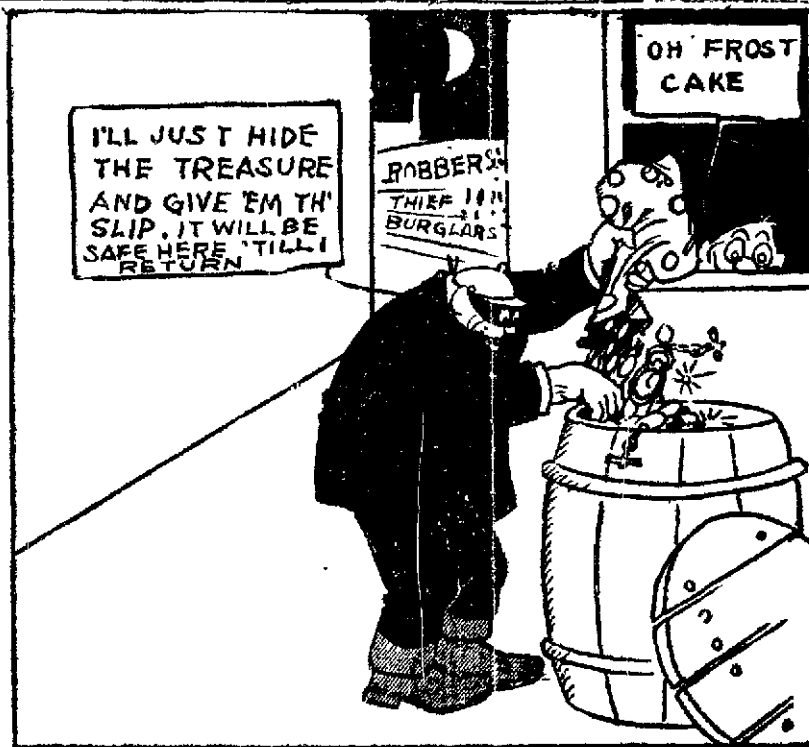
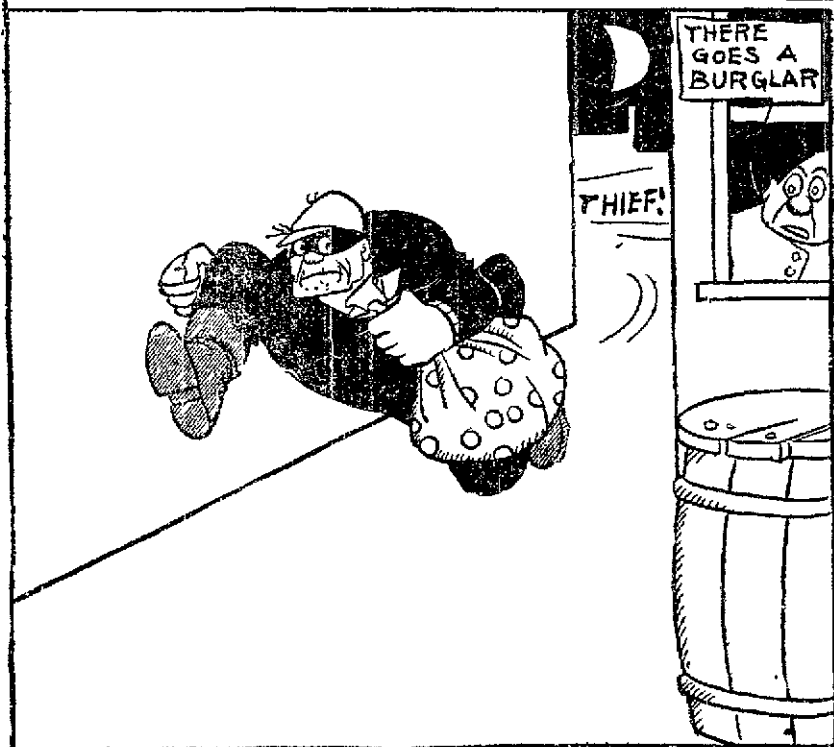
GOODNESS BUT THAT WOLF IS GETTING TO BE SOMETHING FIERCE



UNCLE BING GOT AN AWFUL KICK IN THE FACE~



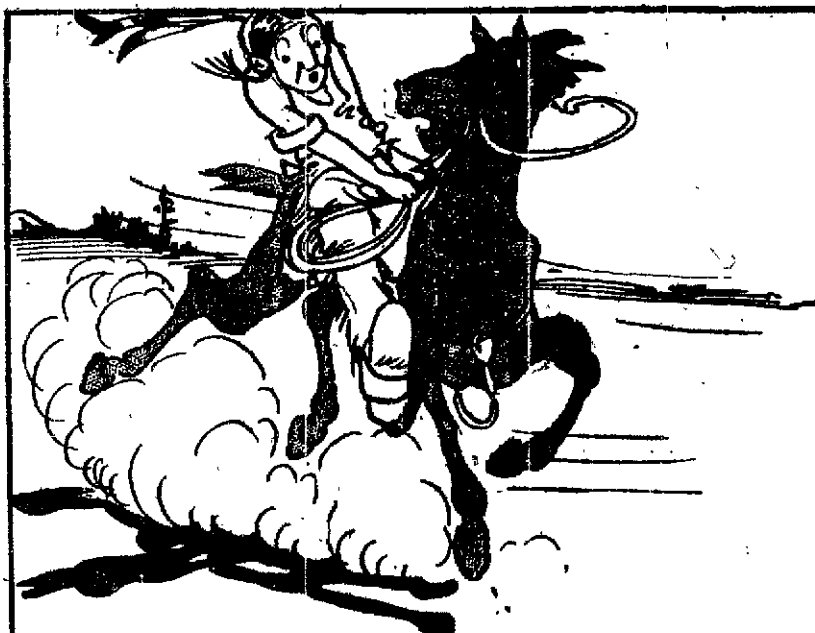
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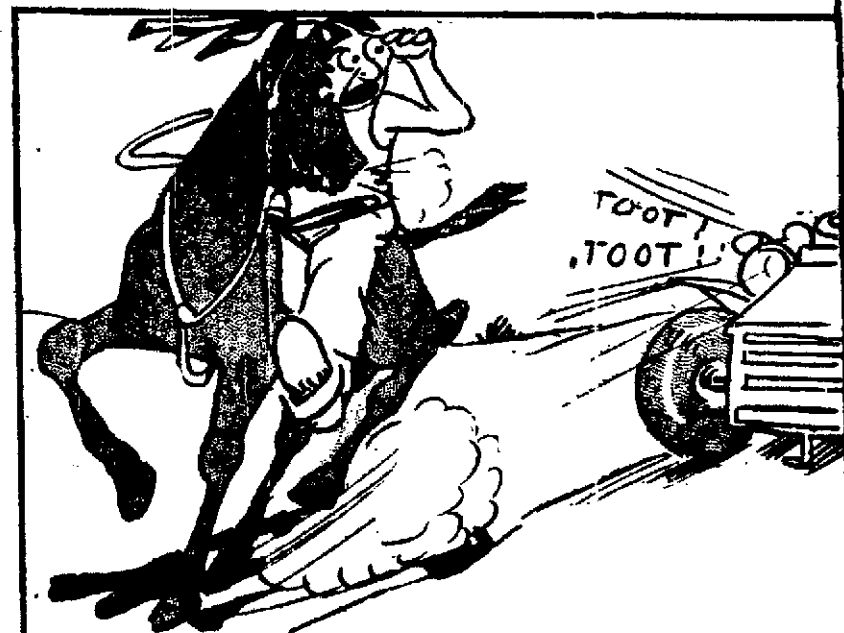
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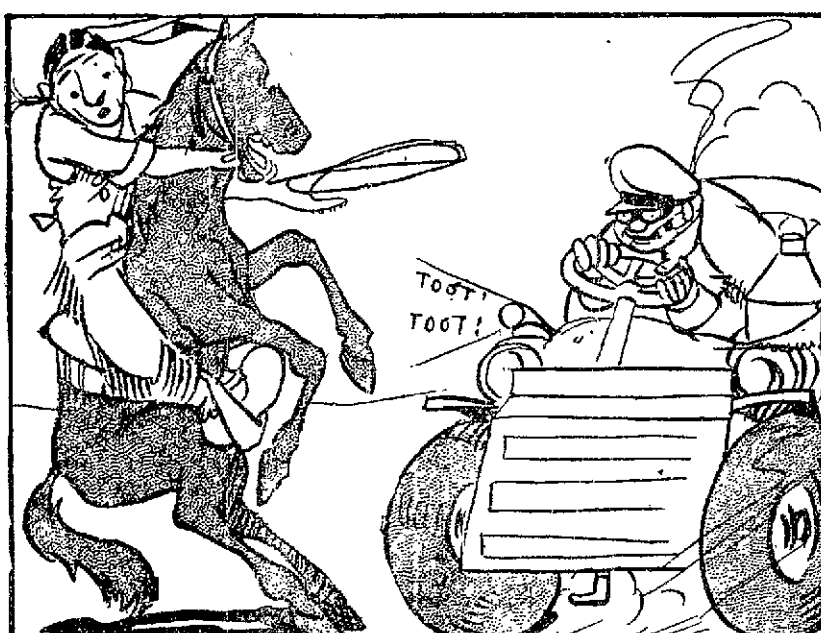
Big Scalper onward sped his way
In quest of scalps and game.



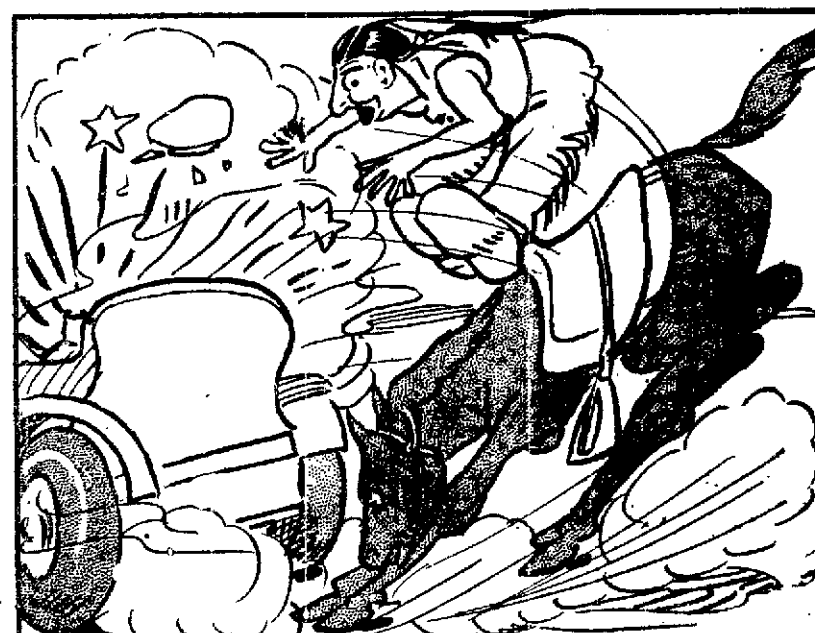
He said Me leave a mighty trail
And much big famous game



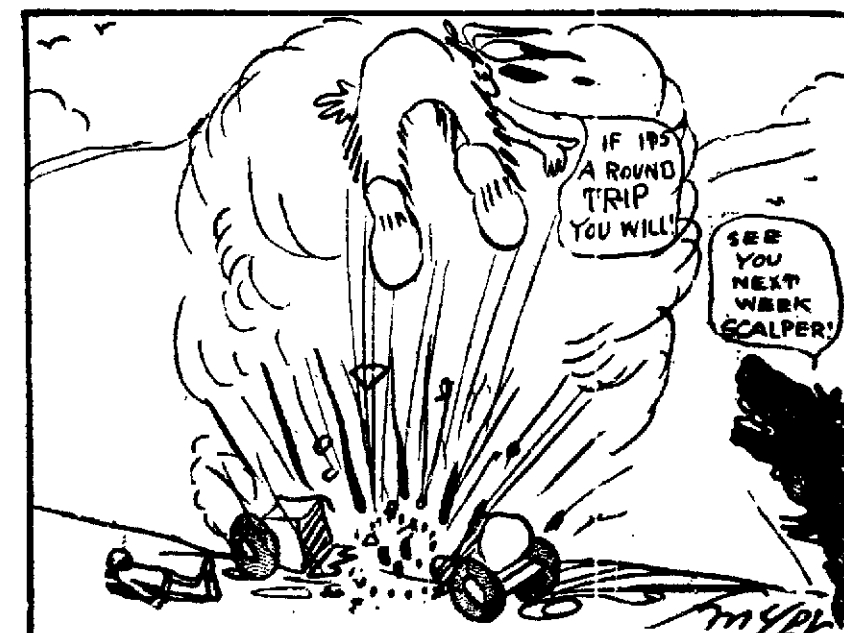
An Auto then came into view
Big Scalper with his noose



stood in the way to lasso it
Alas there was no use

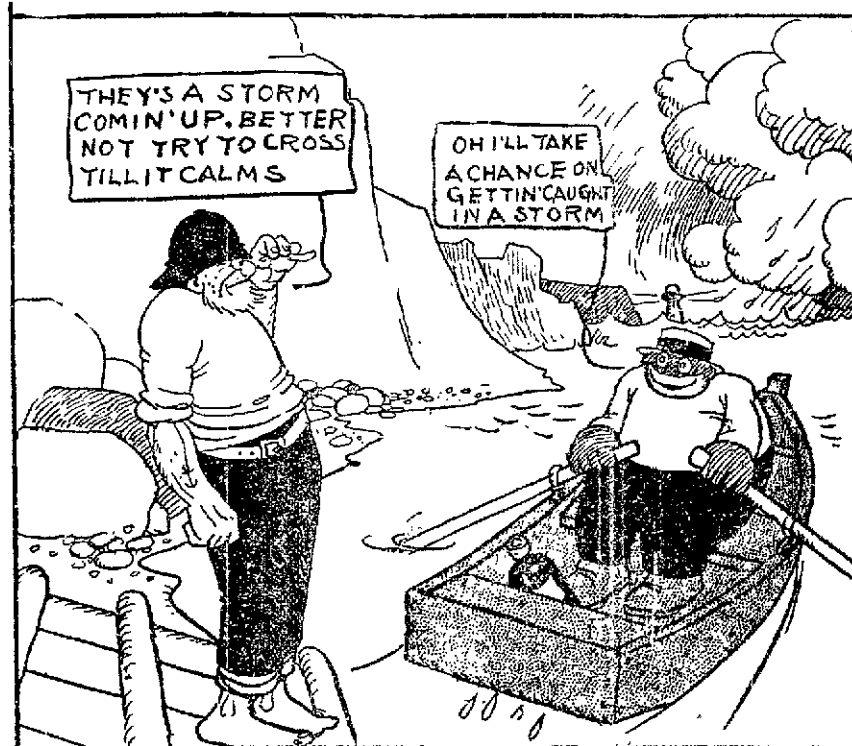


The Lasso landed on the car
Upset the gasoline



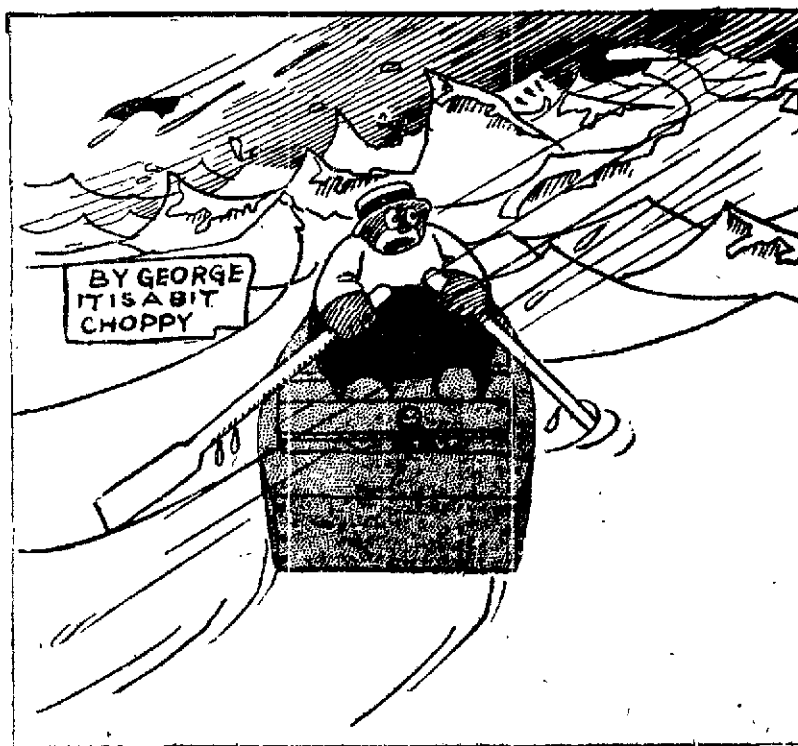
A loud report then rent the air
Since then he's not been seen.

TAKE A CHANCE JIM GETS RATHER WET



THEY'S A STORM
COMIN' UP. BETTER
NOT TRY TO CROSS
TILL IT CALMS

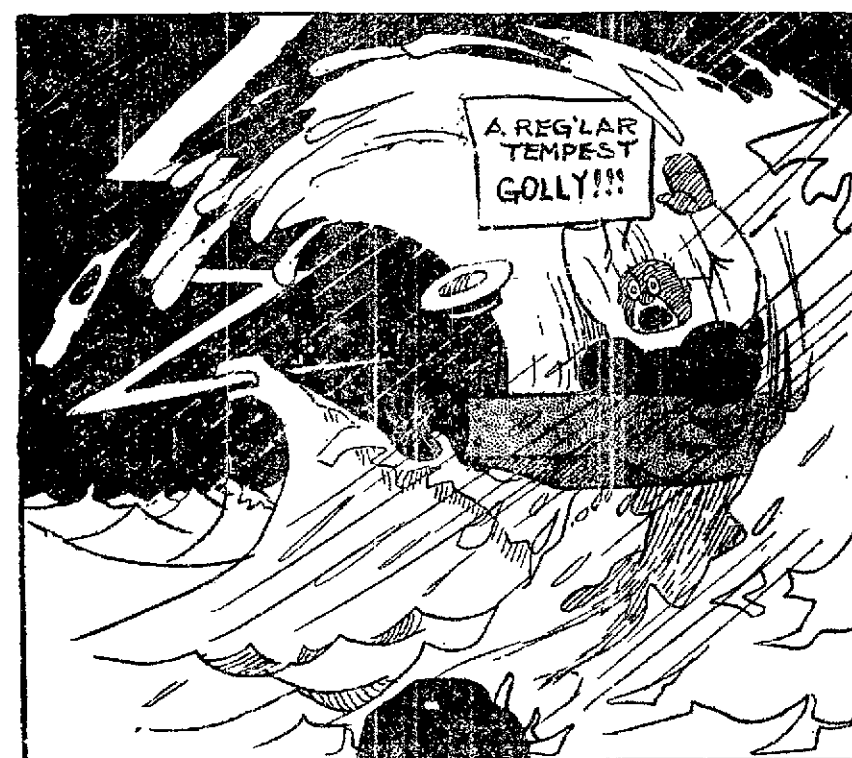
OH I'LL TAKE
A CHANCE ON
GETTIN' CAUGHT
IN A STORM



BY GEORGE
IT'S A BIT
CHOPPY



SHE'S GETTIN'
FURIOUS



A REG'LAR
TEMPEST
GOLLY!!!



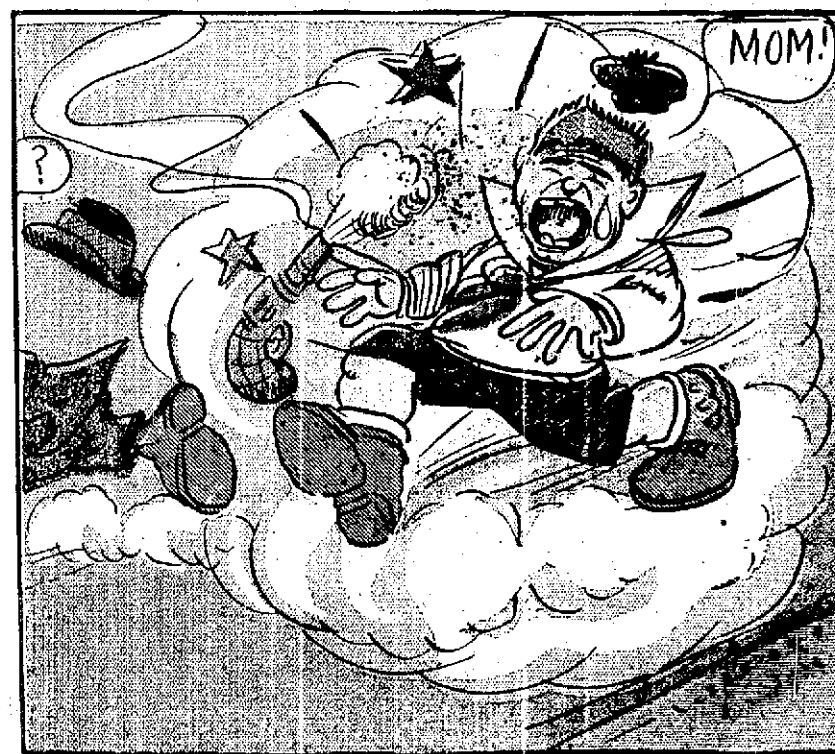
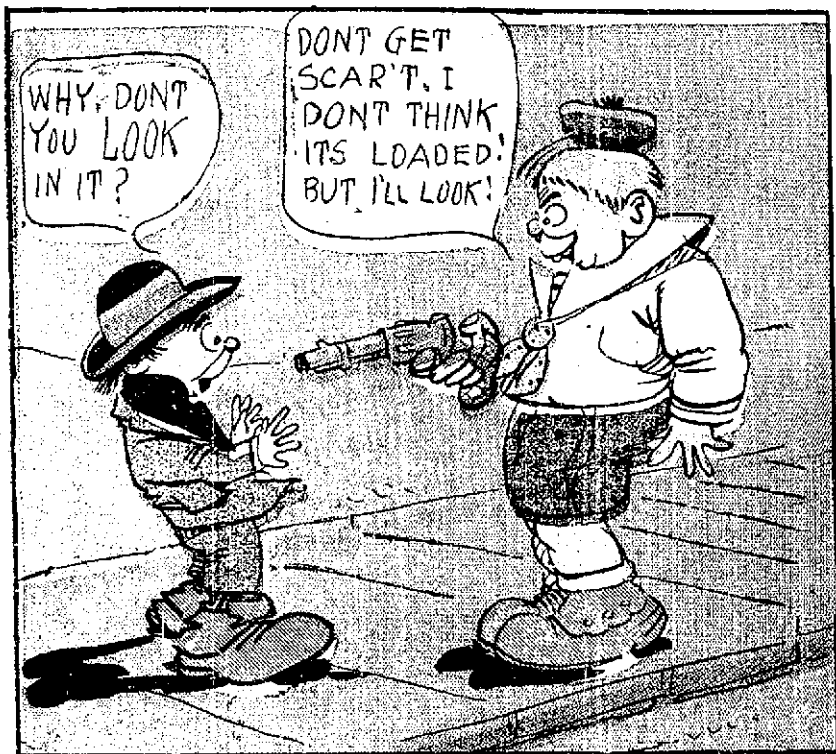
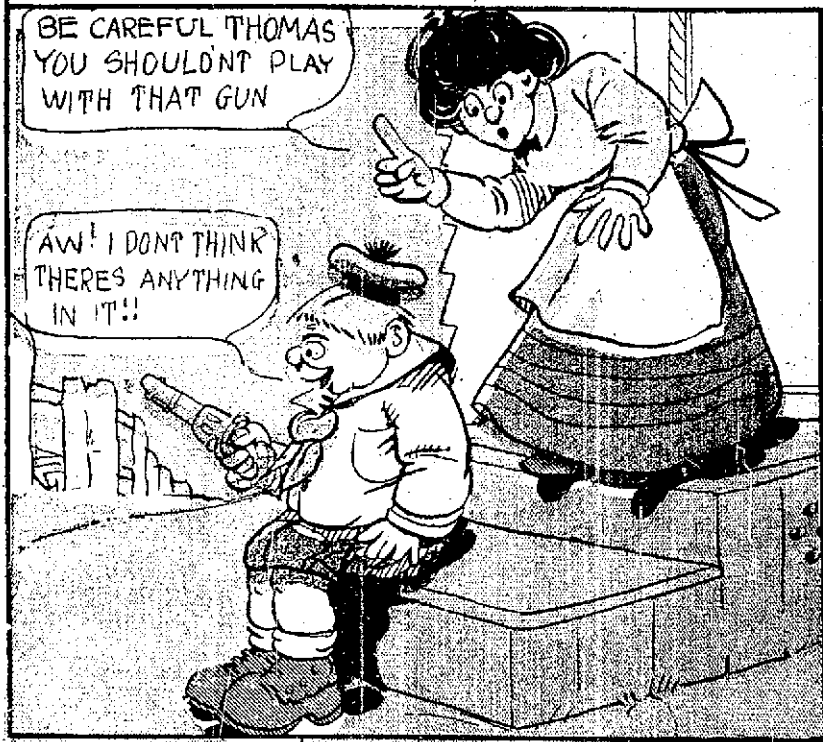
HELP!



BY JING!!!!
IF I GET OUT OF THIS ALIVE
I WON'T EVER TAKE
ANOTHER CHANCE
EVEN IN A RAFFLE AT
A CHURCH BAZAAR

R. SIDNEY MURPHY

DOUBTING THOMAS DOESN'T BELIEVE THE PISTOL'S LOADED



WIFEY LEFT HER PARASOL DOWN ON THE BEACH, GEORGE WENT AFTER IT OF COURSE THEY MISS THE TRAIN

